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CANDIDATES.

HOW THEY LOOK AND WHO THEY ARE.

BRIEF SKETCH OF HON. A. L. FRITZ.

It is our purpose to present to our readers sketches of the men who are seeking nominations for office at the hands of the Democracy in this county, and to print portraits of as many of them as will permit us to do so. We begin this week with Andrew L. Fritz, of Bloomsburg, candidate for the lower branch of the legislature.

He was born in Sugarloaf township. His father, Jesse Fritz, was a farmer who purchased and lived on the old homestead in said township, where he died a few years ago, having filled the office of justice of the peace a number of years

The subject of this sketch at the age of seven began to work on his father's farm. In the summer for a number of years he worked on the farm and went to school in the winter. He received an academical education at the New Columbus and Orangeville Academies and the Bloomsburg State Normal School. He began teaching when about sixteen years of age, and followed that profession six years. He studied law with ex-United States Senator C. R. Buckalew, and was admitted to the bar in May, 1878.

Mr. Fritz has a large practice in Columbia and adjoining counties, and has been admitted to practice in the supreme court. He has been receiver of taxes, town auditor, solicitor of the Bloomsburg poor district, and counsel for a number of municipalities, and he was secretary of town council for a number of years until he resigned. He was appointed by three sheriffs in succession as deputy, and had charge of the sheriff's office of Columbia county in the absence of the sheriff until his other business compelled him to give up the position. Through these positions and by his kind and obliging disposition he made many friends and became well acquainted with the people of the county. In 1884 he was elected to the House of Representatives, receiving the highest vote on the Democratic ticket. In 1886 he was re-nominated without opposition and was elected, running ahead of his ticket at the general election. In 1892 he was elected again. During his terms in the Legislature he served on the Judiciary General and other important committees. In 1891 Mr. Fritz was elected a delegate to the proposed Constitutional Convention, from the senatorial district composed of the counties of Columbia, Montour, Lycoming and Sullivan, by the largest vote in the district. He has taken an active part in the business interests of his county, and is interested in several new enterprises. Mr. Fritz has always been a Democrat, has taken an active part in politics, and has been a delegate to several county and State conventions.

MILTON POSTMASTER.

The proposition to elect a postmaster for Milton is an innovation that some of the aspirants don't approve of, it seems. Perhaps they fear its fairness. It would certainly be a good way to help our Congressman out of frequent dilemmas about post-office appointments; and we believe the people could thus find just the man or woman they want to handle their mail for them. With eight or ten applicants for one office, as in the case of the Milton post-office, what better suggestion could Congressman Wolverton make than that they determine their choice by an election, in order that he might see to it that the right man got the place. That's the kind of Civil Service reform we believe in. It is coming sooner or later too.

The State Board of Health has passed a resolution to the effect that all inmates of prisons, reformatories, almshouses, hospitals, schools and other public institutions should be vaccinated on admission.

THRIFTY BLOOMSBURG.

Many idle men have been set at work at Bloomsburg's enterprising Silk Mill. It is now undergoing enlargement in order to accommodate its business. About 15 first-class brick-layers are now at work there at first-class wages. Besides home workmen many from abroad are given work in Bloomsburg. If other towns have found it policy to close up everything while tariff legislation is pending we are glad to report that Bloomsburg has not yet caught the infection. Her varied industries are not only in full operation, but some of them are working extra time in order to fill pressing orders.

Sudden Death of Mrs. C. F. Stohner.

About six o'clock on Monday evening, while in her usual health and the pursuit of her daily toil, Mrs. Chas. F. Stohner, of Bloomsburg, suddenly expired of heart disease. She leaves a bereaved husband, but no children to mourn her loss. Thus in the midst of life we are in death.

The funeral was held on Wednesday morning at St. Columba's Roman Catholic Church, of which the deceased was a member, the services being conducted by Rev. Father McCann. The remains were taken to Danville for burial.

Mrs. Stohner has been engaged in the millinery business for several years and had built up a good trade. She will be missed by her many customers as well as by her more immediate friends.

The Third Street School Building.

In our last issue we stated that the contract for the addition to the Third street school house had been awarded to B. W. Jury, the second bidder, because Thomas Gorrey, the lowest bidder, "was not able to comply with the requirements of the agreement." This wording does Mr Gorrey injustice because it conveys the impression that he could not obtain bail on his bond. This is not the fact. Mr. Gorrey filed a bond with his bid, with S. C. Creasy as bondsman, which was entirely satisfactory to the school board. They required, however, an additional bond for the completion of the work by August 20th, and this Mr. Creasy declined to sign, and here arose the misunderstanding. Mr. Gorrey was notified that he must file such an agreement, as it was in the original conditions imposed by the board. Not hearing from him at the specified time, the board took it as an indication that he declined to comply, and so gave the contract to B. W. Jury. But Mr. Gorrey promptly began work on the ground, and the whole matter was adjusted by Mr. Gorrey signing the required agreement, with C. A. Kleim as surety, and Mr. Gorrey will complete the job.

Mr. Gorrey is one of our most experienced builders and contractors, and many of the largest factory buildings, public buildings and residences in the town have been erected by him, and there was no intention on our part to raise any doubt as to his responsibility.

The Celebration at Benton.

Under the auspices of Washington Camp, No. 123, P. O. S. of A., of Benton, arrangements have been made for an old-fashioned celebration to be held in that pretty little town, July 4th, 1894. The town will be handsomely decorated with the national colors for the occasion; a grand civic parade, including secret societies in full regalia, bands of music, Sunday Schools and citizens, will be a feature of the occasion during the forenoon; eloquent addresses by able speakers will be delivered in the grove during the afternoon; a grand ball at the McHenry House, a torchlight parade, a festival and a social gathering of P. O. S. of A. boys in the hall, will be the features of the evening. Ample preparations have been made by the B. & S. R. R. to comfortably convey the people of Bloomsburg and surrounding towns, from Bloomsburg to Benton and return, at a special low rate of 50 cents for the round trip. A cordial invitation is extended to all Camps, all secret societies, local organizations, fire companies, Sunday Schools and the public generally, to visit the beautiful inland town of Benton the coming Fourth of July and join in celebrating Independence Day. A cordial welcome awaits all and the people of Benton will put forth every effort to make the visit a pleasant and enjoyable one.

Owing to storm on Monday night, the address by E. J. Bowman is postponed till the coming Saturday night. He will talk on the "Past and Future of Our Country," at the Court House. All are cordially invited to attend.

SLATE—PACKER.

Mr. William Hepburn Slate of Bloomsburg, and Miss Nellie Cameron Packer, daughter of the late John B. Packer, of Sunbury, were married in the First Presbyterian Church of Sunbury on the 14th inst. in the presence of a large and fashionable gathering of invited guests. Rev. Andrew Brydie performed the ceremony. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and palms, and the brother-in-law of the bride, F. K. Hill, presided at the organ. Messrs. Frank Ikeler and Frank Pursel of Bloomsburg were among the eight ushers, and there were the same number of bridesmaids, and a maid of honor. After the ceremony an elegant breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's mother. The presents received by the bride were very numerous and costly.

Mr. Slate is the youngest son of the late George Slate of Williamsport, and came to Bloomsburg last December and purchased the store of W. H. Brooke & Co. He has made a large circle of friends during his residence here. A beautiful home on Fifth street is nearly completed, which will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Slate, and their coming to Bloomsburg to reside will be cordially welcomed by society people. Their wedding trip includes the Thousand Islands and other points.

The Fourth at Benton.

The people of Benton have made extensive arrangements for a grand celebration at that place on the 4th, and they hope for a big attendance and they ought to have it. When Bloomsburg has a fair, or a political demonstration, or a circus, or a Grand Army Day, or a Fourth of July celebration, the upper end pours its crowds into the town and helps to make every public occasion a success. As no arrangements have been made here for the 4th, up to this time, none ought to be made at this late day, but every body should take a day off, and go up to Benton and show the good people of that youthful borough that we know how to reciprocate favors. We will endeavor to give details of the proposed celebration at Benton, in the next issue.

A FIRE WITHOUT ALARM.

Bloomsburg is old enough and big enough as a place, it would seem, to be able to raise an alarm in case of fire. The fire that consumed Elijah Shutt's barn on Monday evening would not be generally known yet, but for the publicity given it by newspapers. The burning of this barn illustrates two important things in our opinion (if we may be permitted to give it in the face of the near approach of the combustible Fourth of July) and that is that an unguarded little spark might create a big fire, and when the big fire is created the inhabitants whose homes are in jeopardy should be given the benefit of the help that a general fire alarm invariably brings. What's the matter with Bloomsburg in this particular?

PRESERVE THE SABBATH.

It seems some few radical christians are now agitating the observance of the Sabbath at home. While Dushore is said to have no Sunday, (though they go to church and count their beads early there) a Sunday observance movement is spoken of in Easton, Pittston, Scranton, and elsewhere. The laboring man who forgets to respect and fight if need be for the Sabbath as a day of rest and worship, deserves enslavement seven days and nights in a week until he can see the wisdom of God's law in respect to the Sabbath.

COMMUNION SERVICES.

Communion services will be held on Sunday, June 24th, in the Bloomsburg Evangelical Church. Quarterly Conference on Saturday at 8 P. M. Sunday 10 A. M. preparatory services, and at 10:30 A. M., communion services. Rev. M. F. Fosselman, from Milton, will be present to conduct the services. Come feast on the good things of the Lord.

Sunstrokes and mad dogs are now plaguing city folks, while the country man who is generally the object of city ridicule, can lay back in the shade (occasionally) and laugh at their calamity. He can laugh better after harvest than before. But whether before or after harvest he has certainly the best wind and water and the fewer sunstrokes and mad dogs to trouble him.

We are indebted to W. T. Creasy, of Catawissa township, for two baskets of delicious strawberries of his own raising. He has a big crop.

BRIEF MENTION

About People You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McKelvy attended a party at Lewisburg, on Wednesday evening.

Miss Josephine Neely of Shickshinny is the guest of Mrs. C. W. Funston.

Miss Helen John, of Bloomsburg, is visiting Miss Cora Bird, of Shamokin, Pa.

Editor Randall, of the Catawissa "Item," was in town on Tuesday.

Dr. Wiener, C. M. Creveling and C. H. Hower, spent Tuesday in Wilkesbarre.

Mrs. R. C. Neal of Harrisburg, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Clark and family.

Miss Jessica Ferguson came home to visit her parents last Thursday.

E. J. Bowman is engaged to deliver the 4th of July oration at Millville.

Lewis Bernhard, Jr., is attending the College of Horology at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Pearcock attended the Slate-Packer wedding at Sunbury last week.

Judge Krickbaum spent last week visiting relatives in New Jersey. He returned home on Saturday.

Mr. Clinton Creveling of Van Camp, we observed among visitors to town on Saturday.

S. C. Yohey of Nescopeck, was in town on Monday on legal business. While here he added his name to our list of subscribers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Sharpless returned from New York city on Tuesday, after an absence of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Shoemaker are among the bereaved ones, through the recent death of their little daughter Lottie, aged two months.

Harriet B. Sharpless, of Bloomsburg, a faithful nurse during the war, has been granted a nurse's pension.

L. M. Creveling, of Van Camp, was a visitor to town on Saturday looking after his lumber business.

Henry C. Porter, of Towanda, member of the State Pharmaceutical Examining Board, was in town a few hours on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild, of Bridgeport, Conn., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wirt last week.

Carl Wirt has returned from Garden City, where he is attending school for the summer vacation.

Jackson Karns, an old comrade in the hour of our country's trouble, was a visitor to town on Saturday last.

Miss Meck and Miss Musser, of Millersburg, Pa., are visiting Mr. George Musser of Bloomsburg.

Prof. Welsh went to Lock Haven on Wednesday where he is one of the examiners at the Central State Normal School this week.

Will L. Crist received a beautiful bouquet of white magnolia flowers on Tuesday from his friend, Fred Ditzler, of Detroit, Mich. They were large and very fragrant.

Mr. Eli Weaver, of New Columbus, a good and reliable mason, was engaged on Wednesday to assist in the building of the piers of the new bridge.

Dr. D. J. Waller remained in town several days after completing his labors as one of the examiners at the Normal, to see his friends and attend to some business interests.

Mrs. Metherell, of Scott Town, is reported as in dying condition with consumption, her friends and relatives having been apprised of her precarious condition.

D. S. Hartline, formerly professor in the manual training department at the Normal, but now a student at Lafayette College, is here to spend commencement week at the Normal.

W. M. Monroe, of Rupert, attended the funeral of his cousin, Ross Rahn, at Laceyville on Tuesday. Mr. Rahn died on Saturday from a stroke of paralysis. He resided in Catawissa many years ago.

J. Henry Cochran, of Williamsport, was in town a few hours on Tuesday. Mr. Cochran has consented to the use of his name as a candidate for State Senator in this district and was here calling on his political friends.

Mrs. J. F. Long, of New Columbus, sustained an electrical shock during the storm on Monday night. She was sitting in the draft or open door of the hallway, when a sudden flash of lightning entered and rendered her unconscious for a short time. The house sustained no injury.

Dr. Geo. V. Mears and wife, of Fondulac, Wisconsin, were in town on Wednesday visiting friends. They were both members of the class of 1874 at the Normal. The doctor has been taking a special course in medicine at Johns Hopkins University. He has a large practice in Fondulac.

Lippincott's Magazine For July, 1894.

The complete novel in the July number of "Lippincott's is "Captain Close," by Captain Charles King. It deals with the Reconstruction period, and relates the experiences of a newly-fledged lieutenant in camp near Tugaloo, and of his very curious commanding officer.

Louise Stockton begins a strong story, "A Mess of Pottage," to be concluded in the August issue. Other tales are "At Marini's," a lively character sketch by Richard Hamilton Potts, and "A Case of Hoodoo," an amusing dialect tale from a Virginia police court.

Ellen Olney Kirk depicts "A Roman Nurse" in her habit as she lives, with the pampered pride which marks her above her congeners in England but Italy. Elizabeth Morris writes of "Mill-Girls" here at home.

Francis Leon Chrisman tells the history of "The Conscience Fund" of the U. S. Government, and gives some recent examples of the contributions to it. Under the heading "A Scattered Sect," H. V. Brown describes a queer organization, which flourished not long ago in England, and called itself "The Army of the Lord."

In "Talks with the Trade," "More Rudiments" are considered.

The poetry of the number is by Celia A. Heywood, Zoe D. Underhill, and William S. Lord.

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That was a narrow street,
Where trod thy blessed feet;
And that a busy throng
That followed thee along,
And many a one was such
We scarce would deign to touch—
But thou was pressed upon by the unfold-sheep,
And very close to them thy place did keep,
And it is thus
Thou sayest to us,
"Oh, if ye love Me, feed my sheep!"

That was a toilsome way,
And that a sultry day
When thou didst by the well,
Of living water tell,
And kindly speak to one,
As if that one alone,
The straying one, of all the world he need most sheep,
And thou no thought but to reclaim the sheep,
And it is thus
Thou sayest to us,
"Oh, if ye love Me, feed my sheep!"

That was a loveless word,
Which, by strange spirit stirred,
Forbade the children grace
To see thy shining face—
But thou didst call them near,
And smile away their fear;
And one such little one the symbol seemed to thee,
Of thy great heavenly kingdom yet to be!
And it is thus
Thou sayest to us,
"Oh, feed my lambs, if ye love Me!"

That was a green hillside,
By Galilee's soft tide;
And sweet the garden's shade
By ancient olives made,
We often follow there
Thy words of life to share—
But oh! the multitude of thine untended sheep!
Speaks there a voice within our spirit's deep—
And it is thus
Thou sayest to us,
"Oh, if ye love Me, feed my sheep!"
—Mrs. Merrill E. Gates, in the Advance.

SIBYL'S SLIPPER.

When Sir William Howe succeeded General Gage as governor and military commander of the New England province, he at once set to work to make himself and the king's cause popular, in a social way, by giving a series of fine entertainments in the stately province house.

To these entertainments were bidden all the Boston townsfolk who were loyal to the British crown. Among such, none were more prominent or made more welcome than Mr. Jeffrey Merridew and his pretty young niece, Sibyl.

Mr. Merridew was a stanch royalist, though he was by no means a violent hater of the rebels.

His only brother, Dr. Ephraim Merridew—Sibyl's father—was a rebel at heart, though in faraway Barbados, where he was at that time engaged in business, he could not serve the rebel cause in person, as he would gladly have done.

But he left behind him a son, who, in full sympathy with his father's views, ranged himself boldly on the rebel side as part and parcel of the American army.

A rebel relative in Barbadoes was not a matter to trouble one's self about greatly, but a rebel relative on the spot, so to speak—for young Ephraim was only six miles away at the Cambridge rallying ground—was a different thing. The young man could not, of course, be allowed free intercourse with his sister.

"What harm do the king's soldiers think poor Eph can do them by now and then paying a visit to his sister?" she asked her uncle scornfully.

"Harm?" You are very young, Sibyl, and don't understand these things. Your brother has chosen very foolishly to join the rebel forces, and so has made himself one of our acknowledged enemies, and I never heard of declared enemies in time of war walking in and out of each other's houses like tame cats," answered Mr. Merridew sarcastically.

"You think Eph would be so mean as to tell tales?" exclaimed Sibyl in high indignation.

"Tell tales!" repeated Mr. Merridew, flinging back his head with irrepressible laughter at Sibyl's ignorance. "Why, my dear, the reporting of important facts, however gained, in times of war, is part of war tactics—it is not called 'telling tales.'"

"And would you—would you, if you were in Ephriam's camp as a visitor, would you——"

"Tell tales!" laughed Mr. Merridew. "Indeed, I would, if I heard anything worth telling—anything that I thought would serve the cause I believed to be a righteous cause."

Then, more seriously, "Why, Sibyl, it would be my duty to do it."

"Oh, oh!" cried Sibyl, "It is odious, odious, all this war business."

"Yes, I grant you that, but who is to blame for bringing this odious business upon us? Who but these foolish malcontents, these rebels, like——'

"Like my father and my brother," broke in Sibyl hotly as Mr. Merridew hesitated.

"Yes, like your father and your brother, I am sorry to say," concluded her uncle gravely.

"No, no, no," cried Sibyl excitedly. "It is not they who are to blame. They are good and brave and wise. They only want justice and fair play. It is the king's folk who are to blame—the king's folk who want to oppress the people with unjust taxes that they may live in grandeur."

Mr. Merridew stared in silent astonishment at this unexpected outburst. Then, in a severer tone than his niece had ever heard from his lips, he said:

"So this is the treasonable talk you have heard from your brother—these are the teachings that he has been instilling into you? Ah, it is none too soon that you are cut off from the influence of that headstrong boy."

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"And you're to dance the last dance with me, remember, Miss Merridew."

"Indeed, Sir Harry, I will not promise you that."

"You will not promise? But you have promised."

"Have promised? What do you mean, sir? I think you are forgetting yourself!" and Miss Sibyl Merridew lifted up her graceful head with a little air of hauteur that was by no means unbecoming to her piquante beauty.

But young Sir Harry Willing was not to be put down by this pretty little provincial—not he—and so, lifting up his head with an air of hauteur, he said to Miss Sibyl:

"I crave Miss Merridew's pardon, but perhaps if she will reflect a moment she will recall what she said to me yesterday morning when I begged her to give me the pleasure of dancing the last minuet with her to-night."

"But I never reflect."

"So I should judge, madam," retorted the youth wrathfully, "but perhaps," he went on, "if Miss Merridew will deign to bestow a glance upon this," and the young fellow pulled from his pocket a gold mounted card, and letter case, out of which he took a tablet, upon which was written:

"Met Miss Sibyl Merridew this morning on the mall. She promised to dance the last minuet with me to-morrow night. Mem.—Send roses if they are to be had in the town."

Sibyl blushed as she read this. Then lifting the flowers—Sir Harry's roses—to her face for a moment she dropped a demure courtesy and said, with a gleam of fun in her eyes:

"If Sir Harry finds that it is necessary for him to recall his friends and engagements by memorandum notes, he certainly cannot expect an untutored provincial maid who carries no such orderly appliance about with her to change her mind unaided."

"An untutored provincial maid!" extinguished by her pretty recognition of his flowers and his admiration of her ready wit. "An untutored provincial maid! By my faith, Miss Sibyl, you'd put to shame many a court dame. But, hark, what's that? As I live, the musicians are tuning up for the minuet," and smilingly he held out his hands to her.

Sir Harry, boy as he was, spite of his one and twenty years, was giving vent to a little boastful talk about the army and "those undisciplined rebels who would never stand the test against a full regiment of regulars."

"Why," Sir Harry declared at length, led on by Sibyl's air of great interest, "we have positive information that their troops at Cambridge have neither arms nor ammunition to carry on a defense, and they are in a sorry condition every way—it is impossible for them to resist us successfully. We shall literally sweep them off the face of the earth if they attempt it."

"And you—the king's troops?" inquired Sibyl.

"We—well, we have been a little straitened ourselves for the munitions of war," replied the young aid-de-camp, "but by to-morrow night a vessel will arrive for us that will relieve all such necessities."

"Ah," with a gay smile, "what would not these rebels give to get possession of this information and put their cruisers on the alert to capture such a prize. But there is no possibility of this?"

All this in the pauses of the dance. When they started up again, the music had accelerated its time, and down the great hall they led the way at a fine pace. But in swinging about to return Sir Harry felt his companion falter.

"What is it?" he asked anxiously.

"My slipper," she replied, with a vexed laugh, and stooping as she spoke she whisked on a little satin shoe, the high hollow metal heel of which had suddenly given way.

Something could be done. She was to go to Mme. Bontineau's rout the next evening. She neded these very slippers for that occasion.

Would Sir Harry, on his way to his quarters that night, would he think it beneath his dignity to leave the slipper at Anthony Styles, the shoemaker's? It was just there by the tavern, at the sign of the gilded boot.

He had only to drop the shoe, with a message she would write to go with it, into the tunnel box by the door, and Anthony would find it by daylight and set to work upon it at once that she might not be disappointed, for it was a longish job, she knew.

And would he then give her a bit of paper and pencil and take her to the cloak room for a moment?

Alone in the cloak room, Sibyl wrote her message to Anthony Styles. Folding the paper in the slipper and wrapping the whole in her handkerchief, she fastened the parcel securely with the silken cord that had held her fan.

"And may I have the last dance to-morrow night?" asked Sir Harry smilingly as he took leave of her a few minutes later.

"Perhaps—if I may depend upon you—and Anthony Styles," she answered. Her eyes sparkled like dark jewels as she spoke; her cheeks burned like red twin roses.

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And in the midst of a pretty disorder of satin and lace and flowers sits Sibyl, far into the night, or rather morning, turning over and over in her mind something that effectually banishes sleep.

"To think that it should be given to me to do—made my duty! Uncle Jeffrey taught me that, as he has taught me many things past months—to keep my own counsel, for one thing.

"Yet I felt like a cheat to-night as I led Sir Harry on to tell me what he did—Sir Harry, who thinks me, as all the rest do, a stanch little Tory, for I have kept my cousel indeed, and no one suspects.

"Yes, I have done my duty, for—'the reporting of important facts, however gained, in times of war, is part of war tactics.'

"Oh, I could laugh, I could laugh, if I didn't shiver so when I think of it! Sir Harry—Sir Harry of all persons—dropping that message into Anthony Styles' hands—Anthony Styles, the stanch rebel, whom they think a stanch Tory."

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The clock was striking four the next afternoon when a weather beaten man, who had a look as if he had once been a seaman, knocked at the side door of Mr. Jeffrey Merridew's mansion and asked to see young Mistress Merridew.

"It's Shoemaker Styles," the maid informed Sibyl, "and he says you must come down and try on the slipper he has brought—he's not sure about the heel. He's in the hall room, mem."

He stood with the slipper in his hand as she entered the room, and before she could close the door behind her he called out in a frank, loud voice, "I thought you had better try on the shoe, miss—I wasn't sure of the heel."

The moment the door was closed, however, he came forward eagerly, and in a low tone said:

"It's all right, little mistress. I heard the click of the tunnel box last night, for I hadn't turned in, and afore many minutes I was up and off in my boat with the message—in my head I burnt the paper."

"And it's all right, and the end will be all right?" faltered Sibyl anxiously.

"All right! You'll know for yourself by nightfall perhaps, and now God bless you, little mistress. You've done a great service, and if ever Anthony Styles can serve you he'll do it with a whole heart—God bless you, God bless you!"

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But Sir Harry did not dance at Mme. Bontineau's that evening, for when at nightfall he returned to his quarters he was met by the disastrous tidings that the long-looked for, eagerly expected British brig, loaded with supplies for the king's army, had been captured off Lechmere's point by the Yankee rebels!

It was not many months after this capture that the British evacuated Boston. When Sir Harry Willing took leave of Sibyl Merridew, he pleaded for some token of remembrance.

"You will not promise yourself to me," he said in reproachful accents, but give me some token of yourself, some gage of amity at least."

"But what—what can I give you, Sir Harry?" asked Sibyl, not a little touched and troubled.

"Give me the little slipper you wore that night we danced together at the province house."

"That—that slipper?" and Sibyl blushed and paled.

"Yes—ah, you will, you will!"

A moment's hesitation, then, with a strange smile, half grave, half gay, Sibyl answered, "Yes, I will."—Nora Pery in Boston Globe.

Cambodian Children.

The children have prodigious memories, and I have often been surprised at the facility with which, without giving themselves much trouble, they learn in a few months the Roman characters and French writing and language. The faculty of learning foreign languages persists in the adult; the grown men, our servants, persons living near us, learn enough of our language to make themselves understood, while we have to take nearly two years to learn, without study, as much as they. The children are very intelligent, but I have been assured, and am disposed to believe it, that intelligence, if it does not remain stationary, becomes less active after their fifteenth year. It seems as if a little darkness came over their minds when their primitively pure features are deformed and they lose their atavistic resemblance to their ancestors.

They are docile, obedient, quiet in their sports, and very respectful to their parents. They are never seen presenting anything to their father with one hand, negligently or hurriedly, but well-brought-up children, observing well the old customs, offer the object requested with both hands, gracefully bowing. They do not eat with their father unless he invites them, but with their mother and her women, in whose charge they are. They do not sit with their father or on the same level, because it is proper for children to be always placed below their father. They have likewise a great respect for their mother, but it is more intimate than that for their father, who is also master of the house and is designated by a word that means master and prince.—A. Leclere in the Popular Science Monthly.

A White Women as an Apache Warrior.

The following story is told by one of Arizona's early pioneers:

In 1864 Dr. Alsap and Lord Duppa, well-known pioneers, were prospecting with a party in the Bradshaw Mountains on the Hassayampa Creek. One morning the party separated for the purpose of hunting. In going up a canon in which they were separated from their companions by the high mountains, Duppa's detachment was attacked by a large band of Tonto Apaches. The whites gradually fought their way across the ridge with the hope of rejoining their companions. During the advance Duppa, who was stationed behind a rock, noticed that he was the particular mark of an Indian with a bow. Several arrows had fallen at his feet and one struck him in the arm. Raising his rifle he took aim, and just as he was touching the trigger the supposed Indian cried, "Don't shoot!" in good English, but it was too late, and the body fell over with life extinct. Soon after the two parties succeeded in forming a junction and the Indians retreated, leaving their dead.

Out of curiosity the party returned to the place where Duppa killed the supposed Indian and found that it was a white woman, evidently about thirty years of age, and dressed in all the paraphernalia of the Apaches. Investigation was made, but no trace of her former whereabouts could ever be obtained.—Yuma Times.

To Keep Down Obesity.

Over in England, where for six months in the year all the smart folks are staying at each other's houses, the fatal penalty of obesity follows the luxurious style of living, and nobody can keep slender except by artificial means. The women rise late, and perhaps are driven to the race course or to luncheon with the shooters. Returning home they do a little needlework or write letters or play some light game until tea time, after which they read or talk until dinner, where the inexorable custom of champagne the temptations thrown in their way by an excellent chef, the fatal fruits and liquers, all tend toward their ruin. And after dinner it is quite on the cards that a belated game of poker may lead to the further indiscretion of a little supper before retiring. Of course, the result of all this feasting is one which arouses research in the best methods of avoiding the accumulation of flesh, and the latest discovery is that an occasional week's diet on game, chicken and fish, with moderate caution the rest of the time, will avert the disaster.

Brunettes Get There.

According to that arch-fiend, the statistician, who manipulates figures with most astounding results, only fifty-five per cent of blondes marry, against seventy-nine per cent of their dark-haired sisters, who secure husbands. Whereupon a scientist rises to explain that fair-haired persons are less able to resist the unsanitary conditions of large towns than the dark complectioned, and that the law of natural selection operates against this increase.

Life of Snails.

Land snails are distinguished by an extreme tenacity of life in every stage of growth. Dr. R. Stearns in his report on the mollusc fauna collected during the voyage of the Albatross in 1877-80, tells of one snail living without food for at least six years, and being apparently no worse for the long fast.

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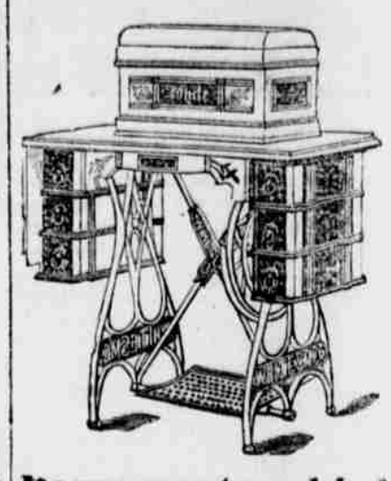

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THE MARKETS.

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Lard per lb		.12½
Ham per pound		.14
Pork, whole, per pound	.07 to	.08
Beef, quarter, per pound	.06 to	.08
Wheat per bushel		.70
Oats " "		.40
Rye " "		.65
Wheat flour per bbl		3.00
Hay per ton		18.00
Potatoes per bushel		.60
Turnips " "		.25
Onions " "		1.00
Sweet potatoes per peck	.25 to	.40
Cranberries per qt		.10
Tallow per lb		.04
Shoulder " "		.10
Side meat " "		.10
Vinegar, per qt		.07
Dried apples per lb		.05
Dried cherries, pitted		.12½
Raspberries		.12½
Cow Hides per lb		.02
Steer " " "		.03
Calf Skin	.40 to	.50
Sheep pelts		.60
Shelled corn per bus		.60
Corn meal, cwt		2.00
Bran, "		1.00
Chop "		1.20
Middlings "		1.10
Chickens per lb		.10
Turkeys " "		.12
Geese " "		.10
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IN CONGRESS.

The President's Health--Republican Strategy Carefully Noted--The Income Tax and the Tariff Pill--Crookedness in the Customs Service--The President a Stranger to Havemeyer--The Sugar Industry Sweeter Under McKinley Bill--Banking and Currency Question Deferred.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—President Cleveland's health is once more the text upon which the Washington exaggerators are preaching the same old sermons. He called in a doctor this week because of a little trouble with his stomach, such as most of us are liable to have at this season, and the doctor told him to keep quiet a few days. That is the whole unadorned story. He has not stopped transacting business for a single day. He only cut down the amount of work he usually does for a day or two, in order to comply with the doctor's orders, and he is now all right again; but the sermons will be kept up until a new text is found.

Recognizing the fact that the Democratic Senators had about exhausted their stock of patience and were about to force matters, Senator Aldrich, on behalf of the Republican Senators, proposed to Senator Harris that Monday, June 25, be set as the date for taking the final vote on the tariff bill. Senator Harris declined to accept, because he is satisfied that a vote can be reached before that date, or certainly not later, without any agreement. The income tax is the only thing remaining to be disposed of that is likely to consume much time. Senator Hill will make a long speech against it, but, like the rest of the bill, it cannot be defeated, because the votes to pass it have been pledged.

The delay of the Senate in passing the tariff bill will make it necessary to pass a joint resolution extending the appropriation bills for the current fiscal year into the new one that begins July 1, as not a single one of the regular appropriation bills has been touched by the Senate, although eight of them have been passed by the House and the rest of them could be disposed of in the next two weeks if the Senate was ready for them.

Assistant Secretary Hamlin, of the Treasury department, has gone to the Pacific coast upon a somewhat peculiar errand. For some years there have been constant scandals in connection with the administration of the customs service in that section, and according to the reports of special agents sent out by the Treasury department, so powerful have the combinations engaged in smuggling opium, Chinese, etc., become that persons who dare oppose them are sued for libel in the local courts and practically driven from their homes by the influence of the smugglers upon the workings of the legal machinery. The reports of the special agents have been of such an extraordinary nature that Secretary Carlisle, who was unable because of pressure of other business to go himself, requested Mr. Hamlin to go and make a thorough investigation. Should he find things as they have been reported to be steps will be taken that will teach some people a never to be forgotten lesson.

"I never exchanged a word with Mr. Cleveland or in his company in my life, and I have never seen the man." These were the words used by Mr. Havemeyer, the president of the sugar trust, when asked by Senator Gray, chairman of the Senate investigating committee, whether he had held a conversation on Mr. Benedict's yacht, in the summer of 1892, with President Cleveland, as alleged by one of the newspaper correspondents who has been indicted by the Grand Jury. No denial could possibly be more convincing than that, although no denial was needed to convince the American people that Grover Cleveland had never been a party to a bargain with the sugar trust or any other trust or person. He owes to the fact that he never would make bargains in politics some of the most persistent personal enemies he has.

Mr. Havemeyer made another statement that Democrats ought to paste in their hats to spring on Republicans who accuse the Democrats of favoring the sugar trust. He was asked what profit the sugar trust would make if the sugar schedule became a law. His reply was: "About one fourth of what we make under the McKinley law." If taking away three-fourths of its profits can be called favoring the sugar trust the Democratic party should not object to pleading guilty to the charge.

A sub-committee of five members of the House committee on Banking and Currency began work to day, under special instructions from that committee, upon a bill providing for a comprehensive system of currency and banking, an improvement upon the National banks. Although the subcommittee is directed to report this bill by the 27th inst., the committee does not expect it to be acted upon at this session. It merely desires to get it perfected and reported to the House, in order that it may be discussed by the people before the opening of the next session.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitntional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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GETTYSBURG ENCAMPMENT.

The following particulars are published concerning the Semi-Annual Encampment at Gettysburg, June 30th to July 6th, inclusive:

Tents will be pitched on the old camping ground, Cemetery Hill, and ample arrangements will be made for all comrades who desire to be under canvass. The hotels, boarding houses and private families afford facilities for those who want to attend the Encampment and can not "camp out," and at rates adapted to the leanest purse. Choice of rooms can be secured by addressing as per circular of May 5th, but desirable accommodations can be had on arrival.

The camp will be located within easy walking distance of the centre of the town and conveyance can be had to or from camp by trolley cars or carriages—the charge on the former is five cents; on the latter ten cents.

Access to the many points of interest on the field can be had by either of these conveyances. The scene of the first day's fight and of the cavalry fight can be reached only by carriage or walking, as the trolley cars do not run to these two points.

A superb band of 25 pieces has been engaged for the entire time of the Encampment. Dress parades will be had, pic-nics will be given, concerts and camp-fires will be held, and in the early evening descriptive illustrated lectures of the battle will be given by our comrade, Captain James T. Long, the celebrated Battle-field Guide. Department Chaplain Rev. Jown W. Sayers will conduct religious services in the National Cemetery on Sunday morning, July 1st, at 10 o'clock, and on that evening will hold a service of song in camp.

Unofficial advices have been received that a number of re-unions of veteran commands will be held during the week.

A grand display of fireworks Wednesday, July 4th.

The camp will be brilliantly illuminated every night by electric lights.

Excursion tickets will be sold at all stations by the Railroad Companies for one fare for the round trip, tickets to be sold, and good going June 27th to July 6th, returning to July 9th inclusive.

The many improvements made by Battlefield Memorial Association, the hundreds of magnificent monuments that have been erected, the great interest that is manifested for the greatest battlefield in the world, the opportunities for meeting their old comrades, together with the pleasure, profit, instruction and recreation to be had by a visit to Gettysburg, and the minimum expense at which the trip can be enjoyed, make strong incentives for the "old boys" to turn out singly, in squads, or by posts, to this Encampment.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggist all sell it.

We now have patent horse-shoes of both metal and rubber that are said to be adjustable to any foot, and to give the horse a much firmer foot-hold. A great advantage claimed is that the patent shoes avoid the "balling" of snow in winter and the accumulation of mud on the bottom of the foot at any time. If this be the case the country blacksmith will soon go the way of the old time country shoemaker now obsolete.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Revenue Notice.

Dealers in spirits, beer, &c., are notified that applications (form 11) will now be received for special tax stamps, for the year beginning 1st July, 1894.

Fifty per cent. penalty is added in all cases of failure to apply within the month. The amount of the taxes is specified on the back of the form 11, and the money for the same may be sent in registered letter, postal money order, coin or currency.

As United States officers are prohibited by statute from receiving or paying out other than lawful money, no bank checks can be received for stamps.

Applicants are urged to remember the days specially appointed for their localities.

Taxpayers in Lackawanna County may receive stamps from the Scranton office, those in any other portion of the District may forward applications to this office direct, or to the following deputy collectors, who are authorized to issue stamps for the respective Counties:

S. L. LACIAR, at Wilkes-Barre, for Carbon and Luzerne Counties. WILLIAM CRAIG, at Scranton, for Lackawanna and Monroe counties. SYLVANUS WEAVER, at Easton, for Northampton County. HUGH MCCOLLUM, at Montrose, for Pike, Wayne, Susquehanna and Wyoming counties. WM. S. MONTGOMERY, at Muncy, for Bradford, Lycoming, Potter, and Tioga counties. JOHN F. BROSIUS, at Lock Haven, for Centre, Clinton and Union counties. ROBT. BUCKINGHAM, at Bloomsburg, for Columbia, Montour, Northumberland and Sullivan counties.

In order to accommodate applicants, and save them possible expense and trouble, deputies will specially attend at the following places, to receive taxes and issue stamps:

ROBT. BUCKINGHAM at--
DUSHORE, Hotel Carroll, Wednesday, June 20, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
DANVILLE, City Hotel, Thursday, June 21, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
MILTON, Hotel Haag, Friday, June 22, from 9:30 a. m. to 4 p. m.
SUNBURY, Central Hotel, Saturday, June 23, from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.
SHAMOKIN, City Hotel, Monday, June 25, from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m., and Tuesday, June 26, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
MT. CARMEL, Mt. Carmel House, Wednesday June 27, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.
CENTRALIA, John McDonnell's Hotel, Thursday, June 28, from 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m.
BLOOMSBURG, Deputy Collector's Office, Friday and Saturday, June 29 and 30, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

When Jack calls on Miss Eleanor,
He always brings her plenty
Of flowers and chocolate bonbons, which
Most charm the maid of twenty.
And though Sir Jack has skinny arms,
And legs as thin as pheasants',
How could one blame Miss Eleanor,
Who much admires his presents?

No woman has any real admiration for a man's *presence* unless the man has a good physique—legs and arms well filled out. You can't be "well-looking" if you suffer from any of the diseases caused by a disordered liver or impure blood—dyspepsia, biliousness, and scrofulous affections. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a medicine that *cures* these cases. It's the only remedy that's guaranteed to benefit or cure, in every case, or the money refunded. Medical science stamps it "absolutely potent" as a blood cleanser, strength-restorer, and flesh-builder.

The worse Nasal Catarrh, no matter of how long standing, is permanently cured by Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

The Letter "X."

In Lippincott's Gazette, edition of 1880, the letter "X" begins the name of 82 places of which 13 are duplicates, leaving 72 names of places to the credit of the letter as an initial.

Following the pronunciation given there the initial letter is given as represented by j, ks, s, h, y, and, sh. In not a single instance is the letter pronounced, nor is it pronounceable, at the beginning of a name or a word.

The Century Dictionary says it was a Greek addition to the Phoenician Alphabet. From the Greek it went over to the Latin, and thence to the English. We have reduced it to the h sound as an initial, and to ks, gz, kz, and other substitutes, by reason of impossibility of pronunciation. The Century says: "In any case the sign X is superfluous in English as it was in Latin and Greek. It denotes no sound which is not fully provided for otherwise."

The Encyclopædie Dictionary says: "It is a superfluous letter, as it represents no sound which cannot be expressed by other letters; and adds that, as an initial, it occurs only in words of Greek origin, most of the functions being scientific or technical. When used at the beginning of a word it has precisely the sound of z."

When we spell "exactly," we say "egzactly," and so of all other forms. It is a double consonant. It is an unknown quantity. It is a Roman numeral. It is a superfluity in the alphabet.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A COMMON QUESTION.

WHERE MAY WOMEN GO FOR HELP?

How Many American Women Have Asked This Question of Themselves.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

You may call it dangerous modesty if you will. It is in woman's heart, and is part of woman's nature.

She shrinks from telling her physical troubles to men.

During the past 20 years thousands of women throughout the world have written in womanly confidence to Lydia E. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., and laid bare the life of misery they endured.

They wrote freely, knowing that their letters went direct to the hands of a woman who not alone understood their sufferings but whose heart was full of sympathy with them. The experience of thousands has proved how carefully their letters were studied, and how true and sure came the answer and helpfulness.

You may be suffering daily when you need not. You can tell the story of your pain to a woman, and get the help that only a woman can give.

A young lady from Boston writes to a friend, saying:—"They said I was consumptive, sent me away, told me to keep quiet, no excitement, no tennis. Just think of it! One day I found a little book called 'Guide to Health,' by Lydia E. Pinkham. In it I found out what ailed me, so I wrote to her; got a lovely reply. She told me just what to do, and I am in splendid health now."

The same assistance is waiting for you. *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Vegetable Compound has relieved more female suffering than any other medicine in the world.

The heated term will soon get down to settled business and then sweltering humanity will begin to long for the cool atmosphere of the sea shore and mountain resorts. To those whose business will not permit of a prolonged stay at the former, the Proctor Inn, at Jamison City, offers a most delightful substitute for the sea shore for a short period of absolute rest and recreation. The merits of this pleasant and popular near-by summer resort do not seem to be properly appreciated. It is beautifully located upon the mountain side, presenting a delightful view of the valley below, and offers superior advantages to the student, the invalid and the over-worked business man for quiet, healthful rest and recuperation. Under the care of landlord Howell and his estimable "better-half," the Inn is a model of neatness and comfort, and all who desire to enjoy a season of rest and breathe the pure mountain air during the heated term should visit this popular and well-kept summer resort.—*Argus.*

The law of supply and demand for staple articles goes right along whether our statesmen keep up or lag behind in their heroic efforts to bull and bear the markets at home and abroad. But the operators of deliberately closed coal mines know of course that the home demand can be very soon supplied if our mines are run to their full capacity. They will never run full time and full capacity except when it is deemed policy to overstock the coal market. As overstock tends to cheapen all wares for the benefit of consumers they take mighty good care that the demand is equal to the supply so far as they can regulate it. And though they sometimes jump the traces of the coal combine, yet for the most part it must be said that there is "honor among thieves" when knit together for their pecuniary advantage.

STATEMENT OF THE BLOOMSBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1st, 1894.

Tax rate 3½ mills for school purposes and 2 mills for building purposes.

M. C. WOODWARD, Collector Dr.

To balance of duplicate 1892.		$ 1659 80
Cr.		
By Exonerations duplicate 1892.	$ 59 60	
By amount paid Treas	1000 00	
		1059 60
Balance on duplicate 1892.		620 20
		1659 80

M. C WOODWARD, Collector DR.

To amount duplicate 1893.		10555 06
Cr.		
By 5 per cent. discount on $2079 61 paid in 60 days	103 95	
By 2 per cent. commission amount paid Treas	39 50	
By amount paid Treas	1975 06	
	2118 51	
By am't. paid Treas. In 6 months $ 3300 00		
By 5 per cent. commission am't paid Treas. 100 00		
	3400 00	
By am't. paid Treas. after 6 months	4960 05	
By sundry persons exonerated 1893.	84 94	
By balance due on duplicate 1893	1351 61	
		10555 06

JOHN R. TOWNSEND, Treas.

Dr.

To balance from former Treas.	209 24
To am't. State appropriation	4327 65
" proceeds order June '93	295 30
" " " '94	298 50
" am't. on duplicate 1892 from M. C. Woodward, collector	1000 00
To am't. on duplicate 1893 from M. C. Woodward, collector	8875 06
To net proceeds order $1000 1894, 60 days	994 33
To am't. received tuition various persons	87 25
To am't. received text books, &c	25 11
To net proceeds commencement exercises	122 55
To am't. received for supplementary reading	25 00
To am't. received from Co. Treas. Tax	70 85
	16369 81

Cr.

By am't paid coupons and interest	879 25	
By am't. orders redeemed	12580 51	
By outstanding orders redeemed with interest	1368 86	
By Bond 91 redeemed	200 00	
By order June 1893 redeemed	300 00	
By am't. Treas. Com	305 89	
By balance in hands of treas.	760 85	
		16860 81

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT.

Dr.

Balance on duplicate 1892	$ 603 56
To amount of duplicate 1893	3614 93
	$ 4218 49

Cr.

By coupons and interest paid	$ 866 11
" exonerations dup. 1892	14 40
" exonerations dup. 1893	30 89
" 5 per cent. discount on am't. collected in 60 days	37 80
By 2 per cent. commission to collector in 60 days	14 36
By collector's commission on am't. collected in 6 months	39 35
By balance on duplicate 1893	491 49
" Treasurer's commission	60 17
" bond redeemed	200 00
" order for interest paid on extended bonds	81 00
By am't. paid School Furniture Co., (furniture) 5th Street	149 80
By am't paid Moyer & Eshleman, snow brakes and repairs	64 75
By am't. paid Creasy & Wells lumber	35 99
By am't. paid School Furniture Co., furniture, High School	140 60
By am't. paid P. S. Moyer, work and material	21 60
By am't. paid W. M. Kessler, screens, High School	12 80
By am't. paid Richard Ivey, posts	2 80
By am't. paid School Furniture Company, erasers	6 90
By am't. paid John Lewis, slating	1 50
By am't. paid Al. Herbine setting blackboards, &c.	4 00
By am't. paid Kesty & Dribelbeis, repairs	2 75
By am't. paid A. C. DeSheppard, repairs	1 40
By am't. paid Eshleman & Wolf, repairs	9 85
By am't. paid P. S. Moyer, repairs	8 15
By am't. paid W. F. Hartman, repairs	5 33
By am't. paid W. O. Holmes, repairs	51 40
By outstanding orders redeemed	1342 00
By balance on 1892 duplicate	225 59
" balance	299 25
	$ 4218 49

SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT.

Dr.

To balance on duplicate 1892	$ 1056 24
" am't. duplicate 1893	6940 13
" State appropriations 1893	4327 65
" tuition, various persons	87 25
" proceeds $300.00 order, 90 days, 1894	298 50
To am't. received for books and supplies	25 11
To balance from former treasurer	209 24
To proceeds $300.00 order 90 days, 1893	295 30
To proceeds $1000 order 90 days, 1894	994 33
To am't rec'd supplementary reading	55 00
To tax from county treas	70 85
	$ 14859 60

Cr.

By am't. paid 21 teachers	$ 8409 00
" am't. paid 15 teachers attending institute	148 75
By am't. paid 3 janitors	765 00
" am't. auditor's bill	4 00
" " Geo. E. Elwell, for printing	27 75
By am't. W. H. Brower, carpet and mats	21 31
By am't. W. H Brower, carpet and mats	4 50
By am't. Montour school district for tuition	28 08
By am't. M. P. Lutz & Son, bal. of insurance	21 00
By am't. Mt. Pleasant School District tuition	9 40
By am't. Evan Jones, work	18 12
" " Frank Taylor, "	52 50
" " U. S. School Furnishing Co., slate blackboards	20 03
By amt. Frank Taylor, cleaning 5th st. building	13 50
By amt. Evan C. Jones cleaning 3rd St. building	15 75
By amt. Henry Shipton work 3½ months	100 00
By amt. John Keifer hauling	1 00
" " Jeremiah Saltzer organ	60 00
By amt. Mears Ma'f'g. Co. Book cases	45 00
By amt. Bloom Water Co	6 87
" " U. S. School Fur. Co. slate	18 00
By amt. Davie & Co. 1 bbl. Disinfectant	20 00
By amt. C. F. Knapp, Insurance	168 00
By amt. N. W. Barton sundries	3 27
By amt. C. W. Runyon, sundries	9 40
By amt. Evan Jones, washing towels &c	6 48
By amt. services 3 janitors institute week	15 00
By amt. Jas C. Brown amt. pd. for hauling	1 20
By amt. W. H. Lemon hauling	1 00
By amt. Wm. J. Correll & Co. chairs &c	6 50
By amt. Democratic Sentinel teachers notice	2 00
By amt. Republican printing and cutting paper art instruction	15 00
By am't. A. Z. Schoch, assignee, coal oil	12
By am't. Bloom Water Co	11 69
" " Cleveland Printing and Pub. Co.	9 25
By am't. W. H. Slate supplies	18 01
" " James C. Brown, paper, certificates, &c	7 75
By am't. L. P. Sterner, ribbon, practice paper and oak tag	22 90
By am't. Mt. Pleasant, Low children 1893	8 03
By am't. S. B. Arment, visiting and examining pupils 5th Street	3 00
By am't. Christopher Sower & Co. text books	129 03
By am't. Farmer's Produce Exchange, coal	449 90
By am't. James H. Mercer, text books, tablets, &c	189 17
By am't. Hess Bros. supplies, slates, &c	112 45
By am't. W. H. Brooke & Co. text books, tablets, &c	297 29
By am't. J. W. Moyer, text books, tablets, &c	124 41
By am't. Bloomsburg Gas Co.	12 75
" " J. C. Brown, printing annual statement and register books	46 25
By am't S. F. Peacock & Co. supplies	18 81
By am't John R. Townsend, freights and hauling	25 33
By amt. Geo. E. Elwell, printing 5000 book labels 30.0 book rules	12 75
By amt. Moyer Bros, supplies	54 64
By amt. Wm. E. Rinker, expressage and freight	12 41
By amt. J. R. Schuyler & Co. sundries	2 94
By amt. Ginn & Co., text books	5 00
By amt. W. Beverly Harrison text books	15 00
By amt. Heath & Co. text books	15 00
By amt. Sheldon & Co. text books	49 58
By amt. Phonographic Inst. short hand books	10 08
By amt. R. F. Taylor M'f'se.	1 45
" " W. H. Gilmore Glasses	65
By amt. Secretary's salary	175 00
" " I. W. McKelvy sundries	12 60
By amt. Williams & Rogers text books	17 10
By amt. John R. Townsend. amt. paid for programs	4 50
By amt. various publishers for supplementary reading	55 00
By amt. exoneration, duplicate '93	54 05
By amt. exoneration, 1892	27 20
By amt. 5 per cent. discount on amt. paid within 60 days	66 15
By amt. 2 per cent. commission on amt. paid within 60 days	25 14
By amt. Collectors Commission on amount paid within 6 months	63 60
By amt. balance due on duplicate 1892	860 12
By amt. Treasurers commission	245 72
By amt. bal. on duplicate 1892	991 07
By amt. order June 30, '93, redeemed	300 00
By amt. Balance	328 55
	14859 60

LIBRARY FUND.

JOHN R. TOWNSEND, Treas. Dr.

To net proceeds commencement Exercises	$ 122 55

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

Bonds due Jany. 1, 1894	$3400 00
" " " " 1895	3000 00
" " " " 1896	3000 00
" " " " 1897	3000 00
" " " " 1898	3000 00
" " " " 1899	3000 00
" " " " 1900	3000 00
" " " " 1901	3000 00
" " " " 1902	3000 00
" " " " 1903	1000 00
" " " " 1904	1400 00
	3220 00

OTHER INDEBTEDNESS.

2 orders discounted in bank	$ 1300 00
Bills outstanding for text books	1921 32
	3221 32
	25421 32

ASSETS.

Balance on duplicate '92	$ 620 20	
" " " '93	1351 61	
" " Treas. hands	760 33	
" " tuition and books	97 00	
		2829 14
Liabilities over assets		22592 18
Estimated value of buildings and furniture		61000 00

WM. E. RINKER, Secretary. JOS. GARRISON, President.

Bloomsburg June 18, 1894.

We the undersighned auditors, having examined the above accounts, statements and vouchers as presented by the Treasurer and Secretary find them correct and approve the same.

J. M. STAVER,
F. M. EVERETT, Auditors.
ANDREW FRITZ,

NOTICE FROM SCHOOL BOARD.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors of the Bloomsburg School District will meet on Friday evening, June 29th 1894, to appoint at least twenty-one teachers and three janitors for the ensuing year.

Applications from experienced teachers only will be considered; and those selected must attend semi-monthly institute.

Applications will be received up to six o'clock P. M. of said day by the Secretary.

ROBT. R. LITTLE, Secretary, Bloomsburg, Pa.

June 22, '94-2w

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FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1894.

THE SENATORIAL SITUATION.

The Democratic convention in Danville last week appointed Senatorial conferees with instructions to vote for J. Henry Cochran, of Williamsport, for senator in this district. The dispute between Thomas Chalfant and J. K. Gerringer was settled by an agreement between them that both should withdraw, and the instructions for Cochran were given on motion of Charles Chalfant. Mr. Cochran will, of course, have the conferees from his own county, Lycoming, which with Montour, give him two out of the four counties in the district. Two candidates are talked of in Sullivan, and William Chrisman, esq., is asking for the nomination in this county.

THE POLITICAL PIT.

If it should happen before the next Presidential election takes place that the laboring classes discover just about who they have been fighting, and just about "where they are at" as between the two parties representing high and low protection, there is apt to be a few more than a host of disappointments among those who have been digging a political pit for their brothers. The diggers are expecting, of course, to bury the other party, else they would not dig. It has been almost reduced to a maxim that the party in power, whether Republican or Democrotic, must suffer the consequences of distressed conditions of any and all kinds during the interim of their administration. Sometimes the party in power is responsible for distressed conditions, and then some times it is not. But as a rule this makes no difference to the sovereign power. Its inexorable command is, "give us prosperity and good government or we will give you death," and hence the more general the distress the more certain the defeat of the party in power.

Observing the pungency of this requirement there is no doubt the experienced Republicans, spurred on by the cunning money power, have been very industriously engaged in digging a political pit big enough to bury Democracy out of sight. They anticipate this Democratic funeral because of distressed conditions and because the classes have been struck at by the masses through Democracy. It is true Democracy has not hurt them much in her attempted revision of the tariff and attempted assessment of the money power through an income tax, which will likely be evaded if levied; but the very fact that she struck at the fostered and fattened classes is sufficient to cause their alarm and fear of the future in case Democracy is not now punctually ousted form office.

But the case is so exceptional and peculiar at present that it is quite possible the Republicans have overdone the distressed business, and consequently have dug their own graves. Through prolonged distress the sovereign seems to have caught on to the true inwardness of our clogged commercial affairs. The prolonged distress and hard times have been the source of much more enlightenment than was intended, and the result is apt to be politically disastrous to Republican mourners who would gladly give Democracy a very decent burial with the aid of their autocratic priesthood—the money power.

Through their provoked strikes and deliberate dismissals we may safely charge that our protected industries, without regard to politics, premeditated distress. They said in effect to wage earners now that you have voted for Democracy and tariff reformation you can suffer the consequences of your free trade notions in idleness as the result.

Whatever ulterior distressing conditions may have been inevitable in consequence of national or individual indebtedness, surely the stubborn stand of our fostered and wealthy industries are responsible for much distress, and the wage-earner knows it, too. It is now for Republicans to rise and explain, if they would crawl out of the pit in order to make room for Democracy. They must explain not only to wage-earners, but also to the sovereign power that ousted them from office for being too familiar with the classes and not quite enough so with the masses. Perhaps they can explain it all satisfactorily, but we are inclined to doubt it.

Let us remind you that now is the time to take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It will do you good. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton, Druggist. tf

Hon. S. P. Wolverton.

A feeling of general regret prevails in the Democratic party of the State, that the Hon. S. P. Wolverton, of Sunbury, will not return to Congress. He is an admittedly able man and one of exceptionally good sense. Conservative and safe, laborious and watchful, such a man can be illy spared from our national halls at Washington. His retirement is not any indication that he was apprehensive as to his election, for Mr. Wolverton has his district well in hand and his nomination would be equivalent to his election. He will now give his attention to his large law practice and win new laurels in his profession. The Democracy of Pennsylvania will keep an eye on him and may in the future confer new and unexpected honors upon him. What an excellent Supreme Judge or Governor Simon P. Wolverton would make. He will surely be trotted out again. A rest will refresh him and make him doubly effective when again put in harness.—*Millersburg Sentinel.*

FOURTH-OF-JULY ORATORY.

The passage of the tariff bill it is now thonght will eventuate about the 30th of June. That's rather lucky in view of the near approach of the 4th of July, when the patriotic orator wants a clear sweep and an encouraging out-look to talk about to his mixed audience. To talk on both sides of politics is the only safe way for the panting Fourth-of-July orator who wishes to please everybody. He should do this at the risk of being termed a demagogue—which perhaps he is—in order to have no battles to fight after he leaves the stump or rostrum, as the case may be.

The Fourth-of-July orator who can see all the political virtues and christian graces in his own party, and all the deviltry and common weaknesses peculiar to both parties securely corraled with the enemy, ought to have a pack of fire-crackers tied to his coat-tail while in the act of delivery, just to confuse his ideas if nothing else.

PROTECTION PROTECTS.

What is to become of the bright prospects of Republican hope of political revolution when even the ignorant miner discovers who he is fighting for a living, as witness the following extract:

A practical miner Wednesday addressed the Republican state convention for information He wanted to know what was the use of a protective duty on coal of 75 cents a ton when the starving miners have been at work at 35 and 40 cents, until they found out it was as easy to starve in idleness as at work. That 75 cents a ton is for the benefit of mining and transportation corporations. The miners are not in it.—*Post.*

The United States Senate now has 85 members. In investigating the sweetness of their relations with the sugar trust the committee examined 74 of the 85 Perhaps this indicates the susceptive number without regard to politics. If so, the unapproachables would seem to be somewhat in the minority in the Senate. No doubt the sweet morsels culled by these rather expensive bribery investigations are being carefully stacked for political fodder this fall. If what is revealed by our statesmen in telling on each other will make a pamphlet, what they keep to themselves as a matter of policy would fill a book of 1000 pages. There is said to be a sense of honor among thieves, and though the admission seems paradoxical, its burden of truth fairly scintillates.

If the prolonged fight over tariff revision teaches a lesson, it is that when fostered industries are once intrenched and backed by laws of their own formulation, they are not so easily dislodged as many suppose. Those who have been chiding the Democrats for not going right on in spite of all opposition are not acquainted with the strength of the opposition or the weakness of the aggressors. Our fostered industries, understanding both, know just where to strike to retard legislative progress and to hold the advantage ground for which they are willing to pay something nice and fight hard to retain. The stubborn fight made and the cunning bribe offered should prove to the sovereign power just what is the matter with our prolonged tariff legislation.

The time is near at hand when the life long Democrat wants to begin to declare that he has voted his last Democratic ticket. And, *vice versa*, the personally disappointed Republican will soon begin to make the enemy feel encouraged by saying he will never, as long as he lives, vote the Republican ticket again. 'Twas ever thus.

The following nominations were made at the recent Prohibition Convention in Williamsport: For Governor, Charles L. Hawley, Scranton; Lieutenant Governor, Homer L. Castle, Pittsburg; Auditor-General, Chas. Palmer, Delaware county; Secretary Internal Affairs, L. R. Gleason, Bradford county; Congressman-at-Large, E. K. Kane, McKean and Rev. L. G. Jordan, Philadelphia.

The poor coal operators are in bad luck this year. While they may be responsible for the strikes they have provoked in some cases, they can hardly be held accountable for the recent down-pour of rain. It having washed their culm banks all over the farm lands near Shamokin the farmers of this vicinity are now suing them for $5,000 damages. Unless the poor operator can prove that coal dirt and slate are good fertilizers he may have to take his dirt off the farm land or else pay damages.

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CANDIDATES' CARDS.

The following persons announce themselves as candidates for the offices named, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. W. HOFFMAN,
of Orange township.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. B. McHENRY,
of Benton.

FOR SHERIFF,
W. W. BLACK,
of Greenwood Township.

FOR STATE SENATOR, (24th District,)
WM. CHRISMAN,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
of Catawissa township.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
WM. T. CREASY,
of Catawissa township.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
ANDREW L. FRITZ,
(North Side.)

FOR SHERIFF,
G. W. HIRLEMAN,
of Benton.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Wm. Coffman, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit in his office in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, July 17, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

L. S. WINTERSTEEN,
6-22-4t. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of H. B. Angle deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Columbia County to distribute the balance in the hands of the Administrators of the estate of H. B. Angle late of Township of Scott, said County, deceased, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit to discharge the duties of his appointment at the office of R. R. Little, esq., in the town of Bloomsburg, on the 9th. day of July, A. D., 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, when and where all parties interested or having claims against said estate must appear and present the same or be forever prevented from coming in on said fund.

FRED IKELER,
June 22. Auditor.

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CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice of application for the renewal of the Charter of the Bloomsburg Iron Company.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Saturday, the Sixteenth day of June A. D., 1894, by Lloyd S. Wintersteen, William D. Beckley, Jeremiah J. Brower, Jasper E. Wilson, Joseph Sharpless, Isaiah W. Willits, Eleazor B. Brower, William H. Brower and Jay J. Brower, under the Act of Assembly approved April 29th, 1874, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," and the supplements thereto, for the renewal of the former charter of the Bloomsburg Iron Company, incorporated on the 22nd day of June, A. D., 1839, under and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, for the term of twenty years, under the name, style and title of "The Bloomsburg Railroad Iron Company," which said charter was afterwards, on the 21st day of April A. D. 1858, by an Act of the General Assembly, extended for the term of fifteen years from and after the expiration of its then present charter, and the corporate named changed to "The Bloomsburg Iron Company," and by the Act of the General Assembly, approved the 12th day of March, A. D. 1870, entitled "An Act relative to the Bloomsburg Iron Company," was extended for the term of twenty years from and after the expiration of its then present charter.

The intended corporation whose charter is sought to be renewed is to be called "The Bloomsburg Iron Company"

The character and object of which corporation are for the purposes of the "manufacture of iron or steel, or both, or of any other metal, or of any article of commerce from metal or wood, or both," and for these purposes to have, possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1894.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

Legal advertisements are printed on the seventh page. tf.

This is commencement week at Lafayette College.

Danville is again free from small pox, and business is moving on as usual.

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Look out for stinging locusts! A swarm of them are reported as having attacked a farmer's horse at the foot of Blue Mountain and stinging him until he died.

Mrs. Wm. Beers had home-grown potatoes about full size the middle of June, proving that they may be easily propagated in the house and transplanted successfully for early potatoes.

In the faculty examination at the Normal School, 112 of the Senior students passed successfully, but some of the Juniors did not.

Though our weather prophets failed to apprise us of it, last Sunday was the hottest day of the season, the thermometer playing along in the neighborhood of 96 in the shade.

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There is a valuable little verse that we used to have to recite in our school days, which we commend to the failing Juniors at the Normal. It runs something like this: "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

Is it not about time for the candidates to get around and interview the sovereign power? They should remember that somebody is going to get left in all cases where there are more plugs than holes to fill.

If fifteen million dollars is the approximate amount of blackmail levied annually in New York city by the police upon houses of prostitution and saloon-keepers, how would it do to abolish both and thus give the industrious police a rest.

The Chewing-gum Manufacturing and Jobbing Establishment of Cummings & Verdy, having out grown their facilities for still conducting their retail business, they have disposed of their bakery and retail confectionery business to Hess Brothers, of Bloomsburg.

Mr. Rea. Davenport of Berwick, a book keeper in the Company Store, recently surprised his townsmen by showing evidence of having caught the small-pox from somewhere. As usual it is credited to poor Danville, as Mr. D. claimed to have recently gotten samples of goods from this point, and which he presumed must have been contaminated with the disease. Mr. Davenport having been vaccinated, his case is one of varioloid and not small-pox proper, we are told.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared, for cleansing the blood from impurities and disease. It does this and more. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends itself.—W. S. Rishton Druggist. tf

J. R. Townsend is the leading Merchant Tailor of Columbia county. See his advertisement on fourth page. tf.

Collector's tax receipts and tax notices are for sale at this office. tf

It will cost only fifty cents to go to Benton and back on the 4th, on the B. &. S. railroad.

We would call the reader's attention to Schuyler's new advertisement in this issue.

Something wrong when you tire too easily. Something wrong when the skin is not clear and smooth. Something wrong when the Blood is impure. Everything right when you take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself.—*N.* S. Rishton, Druggist. tf.

The sale of the livery stock of Girton &. Hidlay last Saturday was largely attended, and brought big prices. Most of the property was bought in by A. C. Hidlay, who will continue the business at the same place. He is well supplied with good, safe horses, and everything belonging to a first class livery.

The following letters are advertised June 19, 1894. Mr. Robert Cornelison, Miss Anney Cocks, Miss Mira Conner, Mr. Franklin Hartman, Mrs. Mary Ann Johnson, Master C. Laurie, 217 Rock St., Clinton Scott H. C. Vandradtes, Jennie Walt. Will be sent to the dead letter office July 3, 1894.

Instead of oleomargarine "I'll take my butter from the brindle cow,' says Col. James Young, of Dauphin, when called upon for expression of his opinion and preference. Some little effort has been made by manufacturers of "oleo" to repeal about the only protective law the farmer has—that which says spurious butter shall not be made in Pennsylvania.

Edward Oyster, of Sunbury, like Public Printer Benedict, has secured a re-appointment to a position he held before in the Government Printing Office. Edward will again be foreman in the Specification Room. He was at one time also foreman of the *Congressional Record*, and at another time a likely aspirant for the office of Public Printer.

THE STRANDED COLUMBIA.

The Columbia got caught in a storm and for a time was stranded on the Susquehanna, near Espy, on Monday evening. The chances to swim or drown looked very ominous for awhile to the frightened lady passengers; but the good sailing qualities of the manly crew allayed all fear and in due course of time landed the ladies in their longed for haven of rest—at home. The principal participants in this outing were Messrs. Oswald, Lockard, Sherwood and Williams, who were accompanied by their families and a few intimate friends. Larger boats may venture more, but little skiffs should beware of shore.

LAST CHANCE FOR MAGIC CITY.

All those who have been taking the "Magic City" portfolios, are delighted with them, and well they may be, for they are beautiful pictures of the World's Fair, and the price is extremely low. Hundreds of them have been sold by us, and the opportunity to get them will soon end. We shall not handle them after July 1, and all who want them must order at once. Orders will be received only for full sets, 18 numbers, at $1.80, or for single numbers only to complete sets, at 10 cents each. We have arranged to have them bound for 85 cents to $1.50. Don't wait another minute, but send in your order. No coupons will be required. 3t.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Notice!

After July 1st the club price of THE COLUMBIAN and New York Weekly *World* will be $1.65. Until then it will be $1.50. 6-22-2t

Hazleton vs. Bloomsburg, at Athletic Park on Saturday afternoon.

Rescue Hook & Ladder Co. will have a dance at Oak Grove on Saturday evening.

The Lime Ridge M. E. Church will hold a Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival Saturday night, June 23.

C. W. Brown has sold his meat market to John Kniess, manager, who has taken posession.

Julius Lindegren, the piano tuner, has left Bloomsburg, but will return the latter part of June. Orders for tuning may be left at the store of Peacock & Co. tf.

J. D. McHenry of Benton caught a trout a few days ago that weighed two pounds seven and half ounces. It was 17½ inches long. He has long borne the reputation of a famous fisherman.

Fruit culture is more profitable to the farmer now than his other crops. Brown. Bros. Co., the most extensive nursery house in the U. S., have a vacancy in this section. Write them at Rochester, N. Y., for their terms. 4-6-3m.

Two patent medicine men have been giving entertainments on Market Square this week, assisted by a negro minstrel. They gathered the crowd by songs and jokes, and then gathered in the dollars by selling their wares.

Ladies and gentlemen, why do you suffer with Corns or Bunions on your feet when you can be relieved by using the world renouned Corn Ease? It contains no poison and gives on pain. For sale by J. B. Russell at Glasco Cameron's tonsorial Parlors. If not satisfied with the result, money refunded. 6-15-2m.

Danville District Epworth Convention.

District President W. R. Owen, of Shamokin, has arranged a strong and attractive program for the fourth annual convention of the Danville district Epworth League, which will be held at St. Paul's Church, Hazleton, June 22-24. Prof. J. M. Black, of Williamsport, will conduct the music.

Mrs. Rose S. Ladd died at the home of her son, Dr. C. K. Ladd, in Towanda, last Sunday afternoon, suddenly. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon. She was a most devoted mother, and a christian woman, in whose character there were many charming qualities that made her beloved by a very large circle of friends. She had many acquaintances in Bloomsburg, having been a guest at Judge Elwell's a number of times.

NORMAL SCHOOL NEWS.

Big Classes Pass Successful Examinations.

The result of the examinations which began last Saturday by the Examining Committee at the Normal, were made known on Tuesday. One hundred and twelve Seniors, one hundred and sixty one regular Juniors and fifty seven preparatory were recommended to the Committee by the Faculty. The entire senior class was passed by the Committee without a dissenting vote. All the juniors were passed but two.

Co. Supt. B. R. Johnston, Supt. of Union Co., and Prof. Sterner, Prin. of our Bloomsburg schools, were granted State Normal Diplomas. Prin. Mark Creasy, of the schools of Hawley, Wayne Co., was examined in several branches and these were added to his diploma of '92.

There were fifty-seven Sub-Juniors recommended to the committee. These are examined in but six branches with a view of lightening their Junior year. A failure in this however does not debar any one from being a full Junior next year.

Of the fifty-seven, thirty-eight were passed by the State Board. This gives a grand total of *three hundred and nine* students passed by the State Board, and is believed to be the largest number ever sent out by any Normal School, in a single year.

The program for the coming week is as follows: Sunday, 3 P. M. Baccalaureate service; Monday, examination of under graduates, 8 P. M., Junior Exhibition; Tuesday, examination continued; 8 P. M., address before Literary Societies: Wednesday, 3 P. M. Class Day exercises; 8 P. M., Reunion, Class of '92; Thursday, 10 A. M., Commencement; 1 P. M., Alumni meeting and banquet.

Heart Disease Relieved in 30 Minutes.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gives perfect relief in all cases of Organic or Sympathetic Heart Disease in 30 minutes, and speedily effects a cure. It is a peerless remedy for Palpitation, Shortness of Breath, Smothering Spells, Pain in Left Side and all symptoms of a Diseased Heart. One dose convinces. Sold by W. S. Rishton. 6-15-1y.

MEN'S Summer weight COATS, light or dark stripe, 48 Cts.

OVER LOADED Too Much Stock.

BOY'S SUMMER Washable Coats, WORTH 50 cts, 25 CTS. Washable knee pants, 15 Cts.

Too near the close of the season to suit us with such an amount of goods on hand. Sure enough, we've soldloads of it, but we don't want to carry over a single suit. We'll not wait until it gets too late in the season, but we'll give you the benefit of it **NOW.**

Every Suit in Our Store Must Go

and we'll make the greatest effort of our lives to put them from our store onto your backs.

You Know How We Do Business

What we advertise in this paper you'll find in our store—Now to business.

We've on our tables about 200 men's suits that sold for eight, nine and ten dollars each.

Do you want one at ☞ **$6.50**

The patterns are all new and we guarantee them all wool and fast colors.

We've about one hundred and fifty men's suits—not one ever sold for less than $10.00, and even as high as $12.00 to $15.00. Will you take one at this price? ☞ **$8.50**

THESE ARE JUST TWO ITEMS

but they're enough to give you an idea. The sizes as yet are unbroken, but can't tell how long they'll stay that way, so we'd advise a visit at once.

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New lot of that Fo Chow pongee at cut prices this week. We are adding to the list of warm weather *dress goods*. Now have twelve different kinds with about 40 styles. Just in, a big assortment of narrow silk velvet ribbons for trimmings. Babies' long and short coats, all colors. Babies' silk and lace caps 10c. to $2.00. Our chenille table covers sell as well in warm weather as in cold. Lace curtains are in use all the year, 50c., 75c., $1.00 up to $4.00 pair. Have you heard of Dutch table linen? We have it, 25c. to $1.00 yd. Big line of linen towels and napkins at low prices. Chemisetts at 21c; summer corsets, 45c; fans, 1c. to $2.50; gloria umbrellas, 95c. *White Goods*, India linens, victoria lawns, wainsook, check and stripe. New mitts, new gloves, this week. Watch for our 3c. lawns.

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This is the finest lot of enameled ware we have ever bought, consisting of dish pans, tea kettles, tea and coffee pots, drinking cups, soap dishes, fry pans, pudding pans, preserving kettles, sauce pans, cooking pots, wash basins, cuspidores, water pails, etc. We bought for cash at a big auction sale and will retail these goods at prices worth driving miles to secure. Many of our customers who were too late at our previous sale to secure some of the bargains, we trust will profit by their experience. Come early where the assortment is complete, but

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NOBLEST OF WOMEN.

MONUMENT TO THE MOTHER OF WASHINGTON.

Mary Ball, the Typical Woman of the Revolution—She Formed the Character of America's Greatest Patriot, Soldier and Statesman.

THE dedication of a monument at Fredericksburg, Va., to the memory of Mary, the mother of Washington, is very tardy justice to one of the noblest women in American history. Many years ago an effort was made to erect a monument to Mary Ball, the woman who gave to the world the greatest and purest patriot the world has ever known. In 1836, Mr. George Washington Parke Curtis, Washington's adopted son, issued a stirring appeal to the country, and wide interest in the matter was excited for a time, but it bore no fruit until 1833, when Hon. Silas E. Burrows, of New York, offered to bear the expense of constructing a stately monument. The design was of a style that would not now be acceptable. Eight Grecian columns were set in embrasures upon a square pedestal and over these were perched four eagles. Above tapered an obelisk, surmounted by a bust of George Washington, and upon the bust was a fifth eagle with outstretched wings. The corner stone of this monument was laid by President Andrew Jackson in 1833, but it was never completed. Mr. Burrows got into financial difficulties and died before accomplishing his design.

The new monument is a beautiful obelisk of plain white marble, fifty feet high and eleven feet square at the base, bearing an inscription in embossed letters, simply: "Mary, the Mother of Washington." It was executed in Buffalo, N. Y., and was set in position on December 23 last. The whole fabric cost $11,000, raised entirely by the ladies of the National Mary Washington Memorial Association, and the monument is in itself creditable alike to the distinguished woman whom it commemorates and to the patriotic American women who have honored themselves by thus honoring her. The old monument in the cemetery at Fredericksburg was demolished to make room for this new and beautiful shaft.

The dedicatory exercises on Thursday May 10, 1894, were of the highest interest. There were present a large number of distinguished guests, including President Cleveland and his cabinet, with their wives, Vice-President and Mrs. Stevenson, Chief Justice Fuller, and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, many Senators and Representatives, Gov. O'Ferrall, of Virginia, and a host of other notables from all parts of the Union, including various chapters of the Daughters and Sons of the American Revolution.

The proceedings were opened by Gov. O'Ferrall, of Virginia, who delivered an address, which, at the special invitation of the Board of Lady Managers, was responded to by President Cleveland, who presided over the subsequent proceedings. Lawrence Washington, the son of Augustine Washington, the favorite nephew of

Mary Washington.

the Father of his Country, who inherited Mount Vernon, and sold it to the Association that owns it now, made an address on behalf of the surviving relatives of Washington. John W. Daniel, United States Senator from Virginia, then delivered an eloquent and impressive oration. The distinguished guests were afterward entertained by the ladies of Fredericksburg, in the house in which Mary Washington lived during the revolutionary war, and in which she died August 25, 1879, while her favorite son was serving his first term as President in New York.

In this age of the "coming woman," when no little contempt is expressed in public addresses for the woman of the past, a study of the character of Mary Ball is very interesting. While so little is known of her origin, that the name of her father is actually unknown to this day, there is no doubt as to the fact that she was a woman of remarkable spirit, capacity and loftiness of character, and that Washington not only took his chief trait from her, but that she was also the main instrument in his training and education. On this point there is no disagreement whatever among historians and biographers. Respecting her, Washington himself declared solemnly, "All that I am I owe to my mother." Lafayette, after an interview with her, said: "I have seen the only Roman matron living at this day." Count Rochambeau is reported to have exclaimed after meeting her: "If such are the matrons of America, she may well boast of illustrious sons." One of her neighbors recorded this of her a week following her death: "There is no fame in the world purer than that of the mother of Washington, and no woman since the mother of Christ has left a better claim to the reverence of mankind." Of her also the adopted son of Washington also wrote, thirty-seven years after her death: "Had she been of the olden time, statues would have been erected to her memory at the capitol, and she would have been called the mother of Romans." History also records the fact that it was the prescience of this wise mother that prevented Washington from entering the British navy, when a boy, and saved him for the more glorious destiny that awaited him.

So far as tradition can be trusted, Mary Ball was a belle in her younger days, handsome, high-spirited and willful. What is really known is that as the widow of Augustine Washington, she was a woman of strong and vigorous character, endowed with great piety and industry, who reared her five children in the love of truth, respect for rightful authority and

Mary Washington Monument.

habits of strict industry. That Washington loved and reverenced her is well known, but she seems also to have greatly impressed the many prominent men she came into contact with when her son became famous. In addition to great decision and dignity of character, she extracted from Lafayette and other famous men experienced in the courts of Europe the highest expressions of admiration for qualities that are purely feminine. She was undoubtedly a representative of the very noblest and most vigorous type of womanhood.

Slaughter of the Innocents.

Live pigeon shooting from traps will never become generally popular in this country, because it is doubtful if there is any form of so-called "sport" which offers so little amusement for so large a price. It is cheaper to keep a saddle horse and a pair of trotters the year round than to indulge in pigeon shooting to any great extent. The well-known pigeon clubs in the vicinity of New York sell birds to their members for thirty-five cents apiece, and besides this cost the sportsman must pay for his cartridges, fee the men who manipulate the traps, and provide himself with refreshments.

If bets are made—and there are many who seek to recoup themselves in this way—the expense is likely to be much greater. In England and on the Continent there are a great many men who are said to make a good living out of pigeon shooting by means of bets made on the matches in which they take part themselves, but here such a means of existence would be looked upon as precarious to say the least.

The birds are supplied to the club members at about their original cost profit is made through their natural increase, as well as by the sale of the dead birds at $1.20 a dozen and by the returning of those pigeons which escape unhurt to the barn from which they came. The number of pigeons killed during a brisk season at the different clubs in the vicinity of New York is very large.

Hypnotism.

"There has been a great deal of stuff and nonsense written about hypnotism, as if it were something very abstruse," said an Arch street physician. "In fact, it is an everyday phase of mental abstraction. Any one may hypnotize himself in a few minutes by closing his eyes, directing them inward and downward, and then, imagining his breath to be vapor, watching its inhalation and expulsion from the nostrils. Babies invariably look cross-eyed before going to sleep, in this way producing what hypnotists call 'transfixion.' Fishermen often hypnotize themselves watching a cork on a surface of shining water. An hour passes as if it were a few minutes."—Philadelphia Record.

The Busy Bee.

Careful weighing shows that an ordinary bee, not loaded, weighs the one five-thousandth part of a pound, so that it takes 5,000 bees, not loaded, to make a pound. But the loaded bee, when he comes in fresh from the fields and flowers, loaded with honey or bee bread, weighs nearly three times more—that is to say, he carries nearly twice his own weight. Of loaded bees there are only about 1,800 in the pound. An ordinary hive of bees contains from four to five pounds of bees, or between 20,000 and 25,000 individuals, but some swarms have double this weight and number of bees.—The Agriculturist.

A Phenomenon.

"This is not the first time you have filed this claim," said the government official.

"No," replied the aspirant for cash; "it's the seventh."

"And you have increased the amount each time, so that it is now a good many thousands of dollars more than it was originally."

"I felt justified in doing so."

"It is very strange," murmured the official. "It upsets one of the strongest impressions I had concerning mechanics."

"Mechanics!"

"Yes. The more you filed this claim the bigger it got to be."—American Industries.

An Enterprising Clergyman.

The versatile clergyman of Charleston, Me., comes up for occasional mention, and he is worthy of it, for so enterprising a man should be encouraged. He owns the principal hotel in the town, and his name is Higgins. He is pastor of the church, and is said to be the best all-round enterprising Christian gentleman in the State. He rebuilt the academy, owns a glove factory, has built an observatory, and is giving the town more improvements than any other man. His good example and good works should make him a tower of strength in the entire region thereabout.

TAMING AN ALLIGATOR.

Slight Difficulties in the Way of Educating the Saurian.

From a Texas paper: "You see that item in one of the papers about tamin' young alligators, I reckon," said a Gravesend man, capturing the city editor by the button hole, and drawing him into a doorway. "You know the paper said it was the fash'nable thing to do."

"I don't remember. Perhaps I did. What of it?" asked the city editor.

"I tried it," said the Gravesend man. "A friend of mine brought me one from New Orleans, and I'm tamin' that alligator for the children to play with."

"How does the experiment come along?" said the city editor.

"I don't know about the experiment; the alligator is thrivin'. He was six weeks old when I got him, two months ago, and he's seven years old now. People in our parts says he's all the alligator I'll ever need."

"What does he do?"

"Well, it's here. When he came he was a sportive little cuss, and just wobbled around friendly. He was chiefly mouth, and we used to feed him for the fun of seein' him eat. Now, we skin around when we see him comin' for the fun of seein' him go hungry."

"Is he dangerous?" asked the city editor.

"I haven't been close enough to see. He eat up my dog, and when I left this mornin', he was in the sty arguin' the question of pork as a diet with the pig. My wife thinks if the pig has any luck he'll find the cow we lost."

"Better get rid of him, hadn't you?" suggested the city editor.

"I don't know," replied the Gravesend man. "We've stored so much away in him now that it seems like givin' up most of our property, and my oldest girl says she can't hear of havin' her leg go out amongst strangers."

"Did he bite her leg off?" demanded the horrified city editor.

"Sure!" responded the Gravesend man. "Took it off, short! Then there's the baby. We hate to part with the baby's grave, so we sorter try and keep the alligator along. My wife insists on keepin' him, 'cause she thinks she saw a couple o' peddlers go in one day, packs and all, and she's got an idea the packs may come to the front again if we hold on. Besides, she seen that item about tame alligators bein' fash'nable, and she's a good deal on style."

"But, do you call that alligator tame?"

"Cert'nly. He comes right into the house same as any of us and keeps himself. He's got that heel," and the Gravesend man pointed to a mutilated foot. "There's my son's wife, too. She's part alligator now. He eat her up a week ago, and the boy hasn't got over his arm yet. The alligator the over his arm yet. The alligator got the arm, too."

"Great scott!" ejaculated the city editor.

"Oh, yes. It's lively down there. When he puts himself up he's business. He's the lightningest alligator for a tame one you ever saw. When we first got him we used him for a tack hammer, drew nails with him; but now he's the head of the family, except payin' the rent. When there is any mysterious disappearance around Gravesend the coroner comes and views the alligator. That ends it. When the baby was snatched they held the inquest in a tree. The jury was all on one limb, and the alligator underneath, looking up. Bimeby the limb broke and the jury disappeared in a row, just as they sat. We didn't wait for any verdict. The coroner give me a permit, and after the funeral, we shied an empty coffin at the alligator. Then the minister said, 'Dust to dust,' and we all dusted. Do you remember whether that item said what a real tame alligator ought to be fed on?"

"Don't recollect seeing it at all. Aren't you afraid he'll eat up some of your family?"

"Think he's liable to?" asked the Gravesend man with a curious expression of visage.

"Yes, indeed," replied the city editor. "Suppose he should swallow your wife?"

"Ah?" said the Gravesend man. "He might get her, mighten he? You think I'd better keep him then?" and the Gravesend man leaned against the door and gave himself up to reflection. "So he might; so he might; so he might," the city editor heard him say, as he drew away and left him there. "That beautiful tame alligator may get her yet," and the gloom of nightfall enveloped the frame dilating with a new hope.

Working for His Dinner.

Lazy Simpson (as a brother tramp heaves in sight)—Thet's jest my luck! Whenever I do a disgraceful thing somebody comes along an' ketches me at it.—Judge.

Decidedly Moving.

New Minister—Did you notice that any of the members of the congregation were moved by my sermon?

"Yes; once when you raised your voice Deacon Smith nearly fell out of his seat, he was wakened so suddenly."—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

At St Augustine, Fla.

She—Tom, I won't stay here any longer if you mean to play poker every night.

He—My dear, we can't afford to stay here if I don't play poker.—Judge.

Has Good Reasons.

Viola—But, papa, the Marquis is charming; and he is certainly generous to a fault.

Papa—Well, he ought to be; he's got more of them than anybody I know of.

Sensational.

Mrs. Dean—What was the text of Snobley's sensational sermon?

Old Dean—"The pace that surpasseth all understanding."

SHOES.

THE SHOE AND DRY GOODS STORE OF BLOOMSBURG.

Years of experience and Spot Cash put my goods in the Store at moderate cost. Small expenses and modern margin of profits gives you low prices for Shoes, Dry Goods, Notions of all kinds, Table and Floor Oil Cloths, Groceries, &c. Remember we are headquarters for Shoes, and he have everything in the Shoe line from the cheapest to the best. Come and see us and we will save you money.

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POULTRY TOPICS

Don't be "chicken-hearted," nor too greedy, in weeding out the culls.

Hens do not eat their eggs unless they learn the habit from having eggs broken in the nest. Never use stale or frozen eggs as nest-eggs.

Incubator-hatched chicks do not require food until twenty-four hours after they are hatched. Keep them in a comfortably warm brooder away from lights or drafts.

In buying poultry for breeding purposes, go to some reliable breeder, who has his reputation at stake. It may cost a little more for the birds, but the buyer can depend on what he gets. Culls are expensive at any price.

To make a good, warm breakfast for forty fowls Boil a heaping half-peck of potatoes; mash them; add one quart each of shorts and bran, a teaspoonful each of salt and pepper, and finish by adding hot water enough to mix into a stiff dough.

Wideawake farmers own pure-bred fowls, which cost no more to feed, and the ratio of profit is greater than with barnyard stock. Why should not every farmer do so? Better test this matter thoroughly this spring. Experience will certainly prove its wisdom.

The incubator that was started early this year is turning out the little down chicks by hundreds. This means, with good management, a lot of early spring broilers at double the value of later hatched. It pays to be first in the market with the few, rather than be one of the late fellows and lose the cream of the profits.

Fowls need more care during damp, rainy weather than during the clear, cold weather of winter, or the dry, warm weather of summer. Dampness engenders numerous disorders, many of which are difficult to cure. Therefore, it is better to use preventive measures than to administer medicines when too late.

Those who have never raised ducks do not know that ducklings grow much faster than chicks, and come at a time when the best prices for chicks have passed. Ducks will lay at least 140 eggs a year, and will begin when six months old. The Pekin is a creamy white, by many considered the best for the farmer, being hardy and of good size—dressing, when in market condition, to meet the most exacting tastes.

Many country dwellers have never thought of raising fruit and poultry in the same yard. They work admirably together. A row of plum or pear trees can be planted along the poultry run, when the choice is made of a location for the poultry buildings. The droppings from the fowls improve the soil about the trees, and the chickens will eat the wormy and curculio-stung fruit when it drops to the ground. There is nothing better for the chickens, and for the trees.

Sitting hens must have attention. One is liable to forget that warm weather brings lice. A clean nest is the first requisite. If the nest box is well oiled with kerosene an dthe hen thoroughly dusted with Buhach insect powder, there will be no lice. This means a quiet, steady sitter, the result of which will be a good hatch. The hen, after she is about to leave the nest with her brood, should be dusted with the insect powder again. Chicks hatched by an incubator are very seldom troubled with lice. This is one good point in favor of artificial hatching, and means steady growth, bringing them into marketable condition earlier, and at the time when good prices prevail.

Plant Fodder-Corn.

It is probable that every August thousands of farmers resolve that the next spring they will put out a field of fodder-corn, yet break the resolution when spring comes. It is the rare exception that July and August do not shorten the pastures. Some seasons the pastures are almost burnt up; if there has been no provision made for other feed at this season, the animals must lose flesh, and the cows must fall off in their milk product, or else grains and purchased food must be fed liberally. Fodder-corn is cheaper than loss of flesh or grain. Allowing the animals to lose flesh is very wasteful. It will require at least twice as much food to regain the flesh as to retain it. Every year the testimony becomes stronger that fodder-corn should not be sown broadcast. It may be planted in hills, but the largest crops, except on very foul land, can be raised by planting in drills. Fodder-corn should be planted in rows at least three apart and as well cultivated as field-corn.

Points About Potatoes.

In the judgment of the South Deerfield (Mass.) Farmers' Club, potatoes, when properly cared for, are, next to tobacco, the best paying crop a farmer can raise. The trouble is, potatoes are too often neglected and receive attention only when other crops are cared for. Turf land is the best, except in very dry seasons. Plow in the fall and harrow in a good coat of manure in the spring. Furrow out, and in the hills apply ashes and tobacco stalks cut about six inches long, at the rate of sixteen loads per acre, 1,200 pounds of fish and potash to the acre, harrowed in, with a little phosphate in the hill, produced a good crop.

More attention should be given to selecting good seed potatoes. Use good-sized smooth tuber cut into four pieces. Change the seed every year or two. The Early Rose is the best kind for home use. Peerless, Beauty of Hebron, and Burbank Seedling give larger yields, but are inferior in quality. The Snowflake bakes well. Early Vermont resembles Early Rose, and is better in yield and quality.

Hoeing potatoes is best done with a horse hoe or tobacco ridger. Go through the piece three times with a horse hoe, and you wouldn't need to put a hoe into it; that is, on smooth land free of stones. To get ahead of the bugs, cover the potato tops about an inch deep as soon as they are up; in about a week cut a lot of small potatoes into four or more pieces and wet them and sprinkle Paris green on them, stirring well until the pieces are covered with it; scatter these pieces over the field, and the beetle will eat them and die. If all do not partake of this wholesome diet and slugs appear, apply Paris green mixed with plaster. Potatoes are a paying crop at fifty or sixty cents a bushel, and the small ones are excellent to hogs, stock and horses.

Legal Advertisements.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE

Estate of Levi Cortright, deceased.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, there will be exposed to public sale, at the late residence of the said decedent in the township of Briarcreek, in the County of Columbia, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1894,

at 10 o'clock A. M., and upon the premises, the following piece of land: All that certain piece of land situate in township of Briarcreek, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, beginning at a point in the new state road in line of land of Geo. C. Smith, 126 and five-tenth perches north of the Summer Hill road, thence by the said Smith's land south 86 degrees west 93 perches to a fence, thence by the same south 7 and three-quarter degrees west 9 and one-tenth perches to line of land of John Smith, thence by the same south 80 and one-half degrees west 42 and eight one-hundredth perches to a corner thence by the same north 7 and three fourth degrees west 45 and seventy-six one-hundredth perches to "Main Open Ditch," thence by the same south 82 and one-half degrees west 40 and eighty-eight one-hundredth perches to land of P. Linden, thence by the same north 12 and one-fourth degrees west 39 and twenty-four one-hundredth perches to the side of a road in land of Adam Suit, thence north 69 and three-fourth degrees east 148 perches, to the new state road aforesaid, thence in the same south 47 and one fourth degrees east 11 and seventy-two one-hundredth perches to a point in the middle of said road, thence south 74 degrees east 48 and fifty-six one-hundredth perches to a corner, thence south 5 degrees east 104 and nine-tenth perches to the place of beginning, containing 115 acres and 83 perches, strict measure.

TERMS OF SALE: $300 00 at the striking down of the property, twenty-five per cent. of the balance at the confirmation of the sale and delivery of the deed, and the remaining balance in six months thereafter, with interest from confirmation nisi. Deferred payment to be secured by bond and mortgage.

DEWITT L. CORTRIGHT,
CHARLES C. EVANS, Executor.
June 6, '94. Atty.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STATIONERY, Furniture, Fuel and other supplies.

In compliance with the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, I hereby invite sealed proposals, at prices below maximum rates fixed in schedules to furnish furniture, fuel and other supplies for the several departments of the State Government, and for making repairs in the several departments, and for the distribution of the public documents, for the year ending the first Monday of June A. D. 1895.

Separate proposals will be received and separate contracts awarded as announced in said schedules. Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond with approved sureties, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract and addressed and delivered to me before twelve o'clock M., of Tuesday, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1894, at which time the proposals will be opened and contracts awarded, in the Reception room of the Executive Department, at Harrisburg.

Blank bonds and schedules containing all necessary information can be obtained at this Department.

WILLIAM F. HARRITY,
6-8-3t Secretary of the Commonwealth.

PROPOSALS FOR THE FILLING OF THE approaches to the river bridge, and for rip-rapping the piers and abutments.

Sealed bids will be received at the Commissioner's office in Bloomsburg, until 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, June 23, 1894. For plans and specifications inquire at the Commissioner's office. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

J. G. SWANK,
G. M. IKELER, } Commissioners.
W. H. ITT,

Commissioner's office,
Bloomsburg, Pa., June 5, 1894.
Attest: C. M. TERWILLIGER, Clerk. 6-8-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jesse Johnson, deceased.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court to make distribution of the fund in the hands of R. K. Little, Esq., Trustee, to sell the real estate, in the order mentioned, as per account filed, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bloomsburg, on Monday, the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1894, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. When and where all persons having a claim on said fund are requested to appear and present the same, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
6-8-t. a. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Whitenight, deceased.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court to make distribution of the fund in the hands of John Mourey, Trustee, to sell the real estate in the order mentioned, as per account filed, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, the 10th day of July, A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. When and where all persons having a claim on said fund are requested to appear and present the same or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JOHN G. FREEZE,
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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Elizabeth Buckle, deceased.

The undersign d auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the administrator of said decedent, as per his first and final account, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will sit at the office of Col. J. G. Freeze, in the town of Bloomsburg, on Tuesday the 17th day of July, A. D., 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties having claims against the estate must present them or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

JOHN G. HARMAN,
6-15-t a Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of H. G. Phillips, deceased.

The undersigned an uditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to distribute fund in hands of Executrix, to and among parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Thursday, July 12, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

W. H. SNYDER,
6-8-3t. Auditor.

LAFAYETTE COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

An examination for entrance to Lafayette College will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Wilkes-barre, June 26 and 27, commencing at 9:30 a. m. Competition is open to anyone residing in the counties of Wayne, Susquehanna, Bradford, Lackawanna, Wyoming, Sullivan, Luzerne, Columbia, Montour and Carbon, Pennsylvania, or who is prepared for college in a school in these counties.

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For Catawissa weekdays 7.35, 11.35 a. m., 12.15, 5.09, 6.33, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.35, 11.35 a. m., 12.15, 3.15 5.00, 6.33, p. m.

TRAINS FOR BLOOMSBURG

Leave New York via Philadelphia 8.00 a. m., and via Easton 9.10 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia 10.50 a. m.

Leave Reading 11.50 a. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.20 a. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.10 a m, 4.30 p. m.

Leave Catawissa weekdays, 7.00, 8.20 a. m. 1.30, 3.18, 6.15.

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Arrive.		STATIONS.	Leave.	
P M	A M		A M	P M
6 20	7 20	Bloomsburg D. L. & W. Dep	8 25	6 40
6 26	7 18	P & R. Depot.	8 29	6 44
6 24	7 13	Bloomsburg Main Street.	8 42	6 47
6 20	7 10	Irondale	8 45	6 50
6 12	7 03	Paper Mill	8 52	6 58
6 09	7 00	Lightstreet	8 55	7 02
5 59	6 50	Orangeville	9 04	7 10
5 48	6 39	Forks	9 14	7 20
5 41	6 35	Zaners	9 18	7 24
5 37	6 28	Stillwater	9 25	7 29
5 27	6 18	Benton	9 34	7 39
5 22	6 14	Edsons	9 40	7 44
5 20	6 12	Coles Creek	9 43	7 48
5 16	6 08	Sugarloaf	9 46	7 52
5 13	6 01	Laubachs	9 50	7 57
5 08	5 58	Central	10 00	8 07
5 00	5 50	Jamison City	10 05	8 10
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BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH. A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Northumberland	6 20	1 50		
Cameron	6 35	...	.....	5
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	5
Catawissa	7 05	2 28	10 39	6 58
Rupert	7 12	2 32	10 44	6 05
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 23
Espy	7 27	2 43	....	6 29
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 42
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 46
Briarcreek	7 41	....	....	6 50
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6 56
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 09
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 32
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	.	7 43
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 48
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 52
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 08	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 02
Maltby	8 52	4 12	....	8 07
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 12
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	....	8 17
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 25
Duryea	9 12	4 34	.....	8 29
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	....	8 32
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 42
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	....	8 47
SCRANTON	9 35	4 55	12 45	8 52

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
SCRANTON	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 43	6 17
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 24
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 28
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 31
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 08	6 38
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43
Maltby	6 44	10 28	....	....
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 50
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 03
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 07
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 12
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 53	7 20
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	7 41
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 35	7 58
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	....
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 02
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 06
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 28
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 33	8 43
Chulasky	9 03	.....	4 46	....
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 22	1 00	5 05	9 07
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	PM

Connections at Rupert with Philadelphia & Reading Railroad for Tamanend, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Sunbury, Pottsville, etc. At Northumberland with N. C. & E. Div. P. R. R. for Harrisburg, Lock Haven, Emporium, Warren, Corry and Erie.

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EASTWARD.

9:48 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:30 p. m.; New York 5:53 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 4:30 p. m. connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore. Parlor car to Philadelphia.

1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:38 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 7:20 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 11:15 p. m. New York 3:51 a. m., Baltimore 10:40 p. m., Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:17 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m.; New York 7:33 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—Train 4 (daily) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m.. New York 9:31 a. m., weekdays; 10:35 a. m., Sunday. Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:-40 a. m., Pullman sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:36 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:55 a. m. and Washington 10:10 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

1:35 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:13 a. m.—Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with Pullman palace cars to Erie and Elmira and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:41 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

9:25 p. m.—Train 13 daily for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:20 a. m., Baltimore 4:45 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:15 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:55 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:30 a. m., Philadelphia 12:25 p. m., Washington 10:35 a. m., Baltimore 11:25 A. M. (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:30 p. m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 13 leaves New York 9.10 p. m., weekdays 9:00 p. m. Sunday, Philadelphia 4:40 p. m. weekdays; 4.30 p. m. Sunday. Washington 3:15 p. m., Baltimore 4:12 p. m. daily, arriving at Sunbury 9:25 p. m. Through Coach and Parlor car from Philadelphia.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:00 p. m., Philadelphia 8:50 p. m., Washington 7:10 p. m., Baltimore 8:15 p. m., arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 a. m. weekdays, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

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Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p. m. Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Interesting Items From Various Points in the County. Reported by Our Staff of Correspondents.

EAST BENTON.

I enclose the outlines of a pencil-drawing by Lizzie Ashelman, a little girl who is six years and eight months old. The features are so marked and regular that we cannot help calling public attention to such a successful effort. The little girl also wrote her signature at the top of the drawing. This work she produced while on a visit at my home, and to which I was an eye witness. Her sister, Ladora, who will be twelve years old next February, is quite proficient in drawing, and as soon as I can procure suitable samples from her I will furnish the COLUMBIAN with them. Such talent, I think, ought to be encouraged and given full scope for development.

The festival at Hamline last Saturday night was largely attended.

Heavy showers passed around last Friday night and Saturday forenoon, but very little rain fell at this place.

Judge Krickbaum attended the Treasurer's land sale at Bloomsburg last Monday.

Harry Weaver, son of Sanderson Weaver, of Nebraska, is visiting friends in this neighborhood. "Sandy" Weaver moved to Nebraska from this place in the spring of 1875. His first marriage was with Hulda Hess, daughter of Benjamin C. Hess, of Van Camp. The fruit of this marriage was two boys—Frank and Harvey. After the death of their mother Frank lived with us. He was then five years old, and Harvey lived with his uncle, Captain John Beishline, he then being only two years old. After "Sandy's" second marriage with Catharine Keefer, daughter of Stephen Keefer, of this place, the two little boys were again taken to parental influence and care, and when the boys were aged eight and five respectively, the family moved west. "Sandy" has been very successful and has accumulated much property. Frank lives on one of "Sandy's" farms, is a successful farmer, but along with it keeps "bachelor's hall." This we regard as quite a rebuke to the fair sex. Harvey accompanied a cargo of cattle to London this spring, which gave him a rare opportunity of seeing a great deal of the world, besides enjoying a voyage on the ocean. He is now calling on his friends while on his way back to Nebraska. It is said he is a law student, but he did not inform me on that point. He is a congenial and accomplished young man.

The closing exercises of the New Columbus Academy and Collegiate Institute will commencce on Sunday, June 24th. The principal, Rev. Killgore, A. M. M. D. D. D., will preach the Baccalaureate sermon at 10:30 a. m.; address before the Willard and Irving Literary Societies at 3 p. m.; Thursday night, public entertainment by members of the Preparatory Department; Friday night, Normal and High School Department, with Oratorical Contest. This promises to be the most interesting of all the exercises known in the history of this old and popular institution of learning. The principal, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, has been ably assisted by his son, Prof. J. E. Reese Killgore, of Western Maryland College.

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Reputation.

Character or reputation is made up of small things of either a righteous or unrighteous tendency in life. The reputable character is based upon small duties faithfully performed, even though these duties involve self denial and self sacrifice at times. Though thieves may break through and steal all else that we may have acquired in this life, here they cannot lay hold; nor could they carry it should they succeed in shouldering a good reputation. There is no power on earth or in hell that can steal a well-earned reputation from any one; nor is there money enough in all the mints of the universe to buy a good reputation for a bad character. Whether a man's reputation be for good or evil it will adhere to curse or bless his pathway of life, he alone having power to improve or destroy his own reputation. If all the calumny that the devil can invent or suggest be poured out upon a person of reputable character, it may create a temporary distrust, but that is all it can do. We need not fear about losing our character through others, since we are the sole guardian of it for good or evil, and the critical world soon finds our proper level for us whether in our anxiety and conceitedness we ever find it ourselves or not.

GENERAL NEWS.

A terrible disaster, involving great loss of life, is reported from Karwin, Austrian Silesia, dated June 15th. Two hundred miners here lost their lives under ground through explosions of fire damp in the Johannes and Franziska mines at that place. A rescuing party ten in number also perished. There were five distinct explosions. It is believed the bodies of the killed were consumed by the fire.

A valuable life indeed is that of John Wanamaker. It is insured to the amount of $1,000,000 on earth, and, if his religious profession is not a misnomer, he holds considerable collateral security on the life to come. The premiums of his temporal security are said to amount to $90,000 per year, while his heavenly hold don't depend so much upon the dollars and cents invested.

Sunbury now wants to pave four squares with vitrified brick and take other precautions against recurring floods. At the confluence of the north and west branches of the Susquehanna she is certainly in imminent danger. Had the north branch of the river also reached its highest water mark Sunbury would most likely have met the fate of Williamsport and Lock Haven. As it was her embankments were injured and lower streets flooded.

There is a trainman on the Reading Railroad, according to the Allentown "Leader," who during his seventeen years on the railroad has traveled 904,840 miles, punched 3,028,200 tickets, yelled "all aboard!" 322,640 times, said "good morning!" 2,016,397, called the name of each station 15,120 times and killed 16 horses and 20 cows.

Sunbury and towns up the West branch will ask Congress for an appropriation to straighten the river banks as a protection for the towns against high water.

The Supreme Court has decided that the owner of a dog is responsible for all the damage done by said dog. If the animal causes a horse to run away by barking at it, injures a bicyclist by running into his wheel, bites a person, or does any other damage, the owner will have to settle for such damages.

The officials of the Wilkesbarre and Eastern Railroad have had an eye on Williamsport by a shorter route than any other to make connections there for the West. A route was surveyed by Harvey's Lake, through Ross township, over the Berwick and North Mountain turnpike, through Muncy hill, over a year ago, and the attention of the officials is again turned to it.

Drilling for oil has been begun near Forkston, Wyoming county. The drillers intend, if necessary, to go down 2,600 feet. The parties interested have about 16,000 acres under lease and are confident of striking either oil or gas.

There are issued in this State 183 daily papers, 3 tri-weeklies, 21 semi-weeklies, 925 weeklies, 8 bi-weeklies, 23 semi-monthlies, 216 monthlies, 3 bi-monthlies and 21 quarterlies, a total of 1,408. New York and Illinois exceed this total.

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THE APPROPRIATIONS.

The attempted revision of the tariff having absorbed so much time in Congress, it seems the matter of free coinage has been side-tracked for the next session, and all of the appropriation bills are yet to be acted upon. The crookedest appropriations that our statesmen pass are those rushed through at the eleventh hour, without debate or consideration for the want of time. The very crookedest can easily get through in this way. As for the regular appropriation bills, running from July till the July following, in case of their failure to pass in time, Congress is in the habit of providing for the running of all governmental affairs on "tick" until they pass the regular appropriation bills.

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